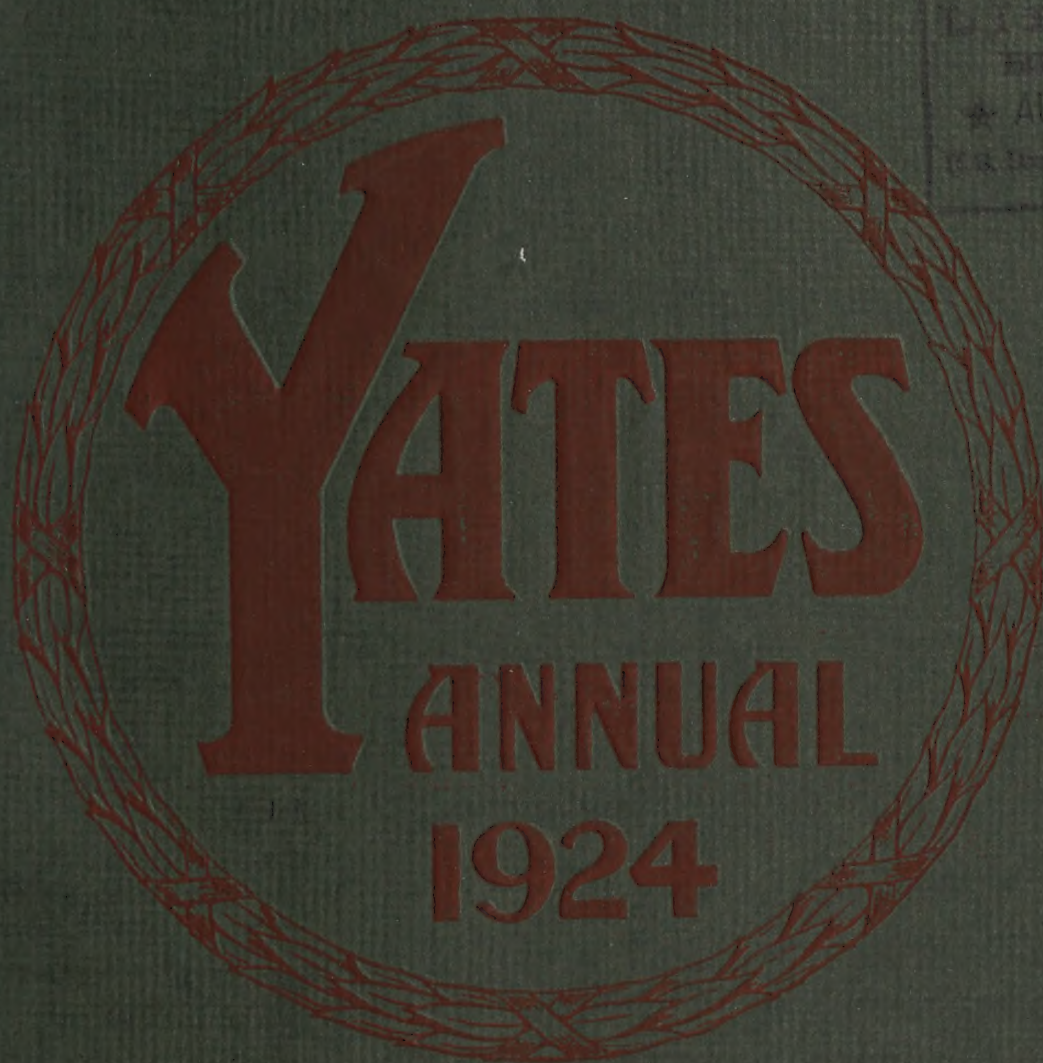


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Telephone	...	City 6426 3 Lines

PLEASE NOTE!

TERMS OF BUSINESS.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND NON-WARRANTY

We believe that all Seeds, Bulbs, and Roots sold by us are of the description and kind specified by us at the time of sale, but owing to the practical impossibility in many cases of being certain of this, we give no undertaking that such Seeds, Bulbs or Roots will correspond with the description under which they are sold, and we make all sales subject to this condition. We further give no warranty expressed or implied as to their growth, description, quality or productiveness, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods sold to him on these terms, they are at once to be returned to us and any money paid to us will be refunded. **ARTHUR YATES & CO. LTD.**

PRICES.

VEGETABLE SEEDS—With the exception of some of our novelties and specialities, all Vegetable Seeds are sold at a standard price of **6d. per packet**, and are post free, except peas and beans, which are specially quoted at post paid prices. For prices of Vegetable Seeds by Weight see pages 3, 4 and 5.

FLOWER SEEDS—Flower seeds in packets and also by weight are post free at prices quoted in this list.

AGRICULTURAL SEEDS, PLANTS, BULBS, Etc.—Postage or freight on all lines, including Heavy Seeds, Plants, Trees, Bulbs, Implements, etc. (except where post-paid prices are specially mentioned), is to be paid by purchasers, and goods are at purchasers' risk after we have obtained clean receipt from the railways, shipping coy. or carriers.

All prices quoted in this Catalogue are approximate only and subject to alteration, but we will only alter them when absolutely necessary. Definite prices promptly quoted on application. At time of going to press crops of many main lines are not yet harvested.

HOW TO ORDER.

The Seeds, etc., offered in this Catalogue can be obtained from or through our Local Agents in almost every town and district in the Commonwealth, or we will supply direct from Sydney. We have established a Special Mail Order Department, with facilities for dealing carefully and expeditiously with this important and increasing department of our business. The Order Blank accompanying this Catalogue will be found convenient for customers and facilitate our prompt filling of orders. Orders sent us per post receive the same care and attention as if customers called personally.

REMITTANCES.

Except where customers have an account with us, all Orders must be accompanied by Remittance, which should be in Postal Notes, Money Orders, or small amounts in stamps. If Country Cheques are sent 6d. for exchange should be added.

POST TOWN, STATE, and SIGNATURE.

Please be sure that your Order bears these particulars before posting. This is important as we get many orders during the year which are delayed or cannot be forwarded through the omission of one or more of these particulars. Ladies will assist us in avoiding errors in addressing by prefixing Mrs. or Miss, as the case may be.

SUBSTITUTING.

On account of the difficulty in obtaining full supplies of many lines, and the failures of crops of others, we will, if unable to supply the exact variety ordered, substitute for it some other variety of a similar nature, which will, in our opinion, give satisfactory results.

Should customers wish us not to follow this plan with their orders, it is only necessary to state on the order: "Do not substitute."

METHOD OF FORWARDING.

Customers are requested to give full and careful directions **with each order** as to the method they wish goods forwarded, and we will do our utmost to comply with them. When no instructions are received we send according to our judgment.

We deliver all goods free on rail or wharf, after which our responsibility ceases, but we take special care in packing so that our goods will carry well.

SEEDLINGS.

Cabbage, Cauliflower, and other Vegetables, also Flower Seedlings.—Owing to the unsatisfactory way in which these generally arrive after transit through the post, we do not cater for this business. We recommend that customers raise their own seedlings; they will then be able to transplant just when conditions are favourable, and the seedlings will receive little or no check. For customers' convenience we will, if requested, buy in any seedlings required, pack carefully and send on, but we can accept no responsibility for their safe arrival or for deterioration in transit.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We are always pleased to advise customers, or assist them with any information at our disposal, but we ask that letters of enquiry and general correspondence be as concise as possible and be written separately from orders to avoid confusion and possible delay.

We regret we cannot undertake the planning of whole gardens or grounds.

This Catalogue cancels all previous issues.

ARTHUR YATES & CO. LTD.

184, 186, 188 SUSSEX STREET
—SYDNEY, N.S.W.—

If wanting Seeds urgently—Wire "SEEDSMAN, SYDNEY." Telegrams so addressed reach us promptly and have our immediate attention.

Yates' Reliable Vegetable Seeds

PRICES BY WEIGHT

FOR MARKET GARDENERS & USERS OF LARGE QUANTITIES

THE FOLLOWING PRICES are current at time of going to press, but owing to the uncertainty of supplies and costs we cannot bind ourselves to supply at these rates throughout the season. Definite prices quoted by return mail on application. These prices are nett, post paid. Half-pounds supplied at Pound Rates. **Germination Tests.**—If requested, when ordering, we will supply, with each line of bulk seeds purchased, the percentage of growth obtained in our Seed Testing Department, and date of testing. This is for the guidance only of planters, and implies no warranty that this germination will result under outside conditions, over which we have no control. Attention is directed to the notice in reference to varieties on page 7 and the following Conditions of Sale

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND NON-WARRANTY.

We believe that all Seeds Bulbs and Roots sold by us are of the description and kind specified by us at the time of sale, but owing to the practical impossibility in many cases of being certain of this, we give no undertaking that such Seeds Bulbs Roots will correspond with the description under which they are sold, and we make all sales subject to this condition. We further give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to their growth, description, quality or productiveness, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods sold to him on these terms, they are at once to be returned to us, and any money paid to us will be refunded.

For Descriptions, Seasons, and Cultural Notes, see pages 7—32.

BEANS		per lb.	per lb. Post Paid	Prices, Post Paid.		
Broad Beans—				per oz.	1-lb.	per lb.
Yates' Dreadnought Long Pod	...	1/-	1/6	2/-	—	—
Early Long Pod	...	10d.	1/4			
Harlington Broad Windsor	...	10d.	1/4			
Four Seeded Windsor	...	1/-	1/6			
Dwarf Kidney or French Beans—						
Canadian Wonder	...	1/-	1/6	9d.	2/6	—
Negro Long Pod	...	1/6	2/-	9d.	2/6	—
Pale Dun	...	1/6	2/-			
Magnum Bonum	...	2/-	2/6			
Haricot	...	1/-	1/6			
Dwarf Stringless Green Pod	...	2/-	2/6			
Refugee	...	2/-	2/6			
Byer's Bush	...	2/-	2/6			
Giant Podded Stringless G. P.	...	2/-	2/6			
Dwarf Butter or Wax Beans—						
Golden Wax	...	2/-	2/6			
White Wax	...	2/-	2/6			
Black Wax	...	2/-	2/6			
Burpee's Kidney Wax	...	2/-	2/6			
Startler Wax	...	2/-	2/6			
Climbing French or Runner—						
Yates' Everbearing Stringless	...	2/6	3/-			
Epique	...	2/6	3/-			
Kentucky Wonder	...	2/6	3/-			
White Dutch Runner	...	2/-	2/6			
General McCay	...	3/-	3/6			
Scarlet Runners	...	2/-	2/6			
Lima Beans—						
Tall Lima	...	2/-	2/6			
Henderson's Dwf. or Bush Lima	...	2/-	2/6			
Burpee's Bush Lima	...	2/6	3/-			
Snake or Asparagus Beans—						
1-lb., post paid, 2/6.						
PEAS						
FIRST EARLY						
Blue Bantam	...	—	—			
Yates' Utility	...	1/6	2/-			
Little Marvel	...	1/3	1/9			
Yates' Hundredfold	...	1/6	2/-			
Witham Wonder	...	1/3	1/9			
American Wonder	...	1/3	1/9			
Richard Seddon	...	1/3	1/9			
English Wonder	...	1/3	1/9			
SECOND EARLY						
Green Feast	...	1/6	2/-			
Yates' Bountiful	...	—	—			
Greaterop	...	1/6	2/-			
King Edward VII.	...	—	—			
Union Jack	...	1/3	1/9			
Daisy	...	—	—			
MAIN CROP						
Yorkshire Hero	...	1/-	1/3			
Stratagem	...	1/-	1/3			
English Dwarf Defiance	...	1/-	1/3			
Veitch's Perfection	...	1/-	1/6			
We will give Special Quotes on Application for Bushel and Sack Lots of Peas and Beans.				ARTICHOKE		
				Globe	...	...
				ASPARAGUS		
				Conover's Colossal	...	9d.
				Palmetto	...	9d.
				BEETROOT		
				Yates' Obelisk	...	1/-
				Yates' Nonpareil	...	1/-
				Egyptian Turnip-Rooted	...	8d.
				Crimson Globe	...	8d.
				Yates' Excelsior Blood-Red	...	8d.
				Dell's Crimson	...	1/-
				Silver or Spinach	...	6d.
				Sugar, for Stock and Poultry	...	6d.
				BORECOLE		
				or Scotch Kale	...	1/-
				BROCCOLI		
				Early or Late	...	1/6
				BRUSSELS SPROUTS		
				...	...	1/6
				CABBAGE		
				EXTRA EARLY—		
				Yates' First Early	...	1/6
				St. John's Day, Small Early	...	1/3
				Early York	...	1/3
				Large York	...	1/3
				Sugarloaf	...	1/3
				SECOND EARLY & MAIN—		
				Yates' Early Drumhead.		
				Selected and grown on Yates'		
				Tasmanian Seed Farm	...	3/-
				Yates' Early Drumhead.		
				European grown		
				...	1/3	3/6
				Henderson's Succession.		
				Grown and selected on Yates'		
				Tasmanian Seed Farm	...	3/-
				Henderson's Succession.		
				European grown		
				...	1/3	3/6
				American grown	...	3/-
				...	8/6	25/-
				Early Flat Dutch	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-
				Yates' Vanguard	...	3/-
				...	8/6	25/-
				Yates' Utility	...	3/-
				...	8/6	25/-
				Yates' St. John's Day		
				...	1/3	3/6
				Winningstadt	...	1/6
				...	4/6	13/6
				Copenhagen Market	...	2/-
				...	6/6	20/-
				Enfield Market	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-
				London Market	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-
				East Ham	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-
				West Ham	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-
				Burpee's Allhead (American)	...	2/-
				...	6/6	20/-
				Burpee's Surehead (American)	...	2/-
				...	6/6	20/-
				Yates Aphis Proof	...	2/-
				...	6/6	20/-
				Chinese Cabbage (Pe-tsai)	...	1/3
				...	3/6	10/-

PRICES OF VEGETABLE SEEDS BY WEIGHT—Continued

THESE PRICES ARE NET, POST PAID, ½ lb. LOTS SUPPLIED AT lb. RATES.

We will quote specially for quantities of several pounds of any variety.

For Descriptions, Seasons, and Cultural Notes, see pages 7—32.

	Prices, Post Paid.				Prices, Post Paid.			
	per oz.	¼-lb.	per lb.		per oz.	¼-lb.	per lb.	
CABBAGE, Continued								
<i>LATE VARIETIES—</i>								
Yates' Mammoth Late D'mhead	1/6	4/6	13/6	CUCUMBER	New Siberian	1/3	3/6 10/-	
Savoy Drumhead	1/3	3/6	10/-		Improved White Spine...	1/3	3/6 10/-	
Schweinfurt Drumhead	1/9	5/-	—		Long Green Prickly	1/3	3/6 10/-	
Robinson's Ox.	1/3	3/6	10/-		Yates' Mangere Prize ¼-oz., 3/-	10/-	—	
Prize Red	1/6	4/6	13/6		Apple shaped	2/6	7/6 22/6	
CAPE GOOSEBERRY					Short Prickly	1/3	3/6 10/-	
	5/-	—	—		Yates' Sydney Pickling	1/3	3/3 10/-	
CAPSICUM or PEPPER					African	2/-	—	
Bird's-Eye	4/6	—	—		Giant Pera	2/-	—	
Other Main Varieties	1/6	—	—		Japanese Climbing	2/-	—	
CARROT					West India Gherkin	3/-	—	
Early French Forcing	1/-	2/6	7/6	ENDIVE	9d.	2/-	6/-	
Early Horn	9d.	1/9	5/-		EGG PLANT	3/-	—	—
Oxheart (Guerande)	9d.	1/9	5/-	HERBS		Thyme, Marjoram	3/6	—
Manchester Table	9d.	1/9	5/-		Sage, Lavender	2/6	—	—
Half Long Danvers	9d.	1/9	5/-	KOHL RABI	1/-	3/-	9/-	
Intermediate, Yates' Select	9d.	1/9	5/-		LEEK	All varieties	1/3	3/6 10/-
St. Valery (Long Intermediate)	9d.	1/9	5/-	LETTUCE		Yates' Champion Cabbage	1/3	3/6 10/6
Altrincham	9d.	1/9	5/-		Yates' American Summer	1/3	3/6 10/6	
White Belgian (for stock)	9d.	1/9	5/-	Yates' Long Standing	1/9	5/- 15/-		
Orange Giant (for stock)	9d.	1/9	5/-	Neapolitan	1/6	4/- 12/6		
Sinclair's Champion (for stock)	9d.	1/9	5/-	Iceberg	1/-	3/- 8/6		
CAULIFLOWER				Continuity	1/9	5/- 15/-		
Yates' Phenomenal. Early	5/-	15/-	45/-	Malta or Drumhead	1/-	3/- 8/6		
Yates' Phenomenal Main Crop	5/-	15/-	45/-	Webb's Wonderful	1/6	4/- 12/6		
<i>SELF-PROTECTING</i>				Mignonette	1/6	4/- 12/6		
Early Italian Giant	2/6	7/6	22/6	All-the-Year-Round	1/3	3/6 10/6		
Veitch's Autumn G'nt, Yates' Sel'	2/6	7/6	22/6	Tom Thumb	1/3	3/6 10/6		
Late Italian Giant	2/6	7/6	22/6	Cos...	1/3	3/6 10/6		
Late Metropole	3/6	10/-	30/-	MELON, ROCK				
<i>NON SELF-PROTECTING</i>				Rocky Ford	1/-	3/- 9/-		
Yates' Goliath 1/- packet	7/6	—	—	Rocky Ford Gold Lined	1/6	4/- 12/6		
Yates' Earliest of All 1/- packet	5/-	15/-	45/-	Paul Rose...	1/-	3/- 9/-		
Yates' Early Mammoth	3/6	10/-	30/-	Hackensack	1/-	3/- 9/-		
Early Short Stemmed Eclipse...	3/6	10/-	30/-	Other Sorts	1/-	3/- 9/-		
Early London	2/6	7/6	22/6	Cassabas (All varieties)	1/6	4/- 12/6		
Late Eclipse (Victorian grown)	3/6	10/-	30/-	MELON, WATER				
Walcheren	2/6	7/6	22/6	Yates' Cannon Ball	1/6	4/- 12/6		
Large Asiatic	2/6	7/6	22/6	Cole's Early	9d.	2/- 6/-		
CELERY				Kleckley Sweets	9d.	2/- 6/-		
White Plume	1/6	4/6	—	Ice Cream	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Golden Self Blanching, French	—	—	—	Cuban Queen	9d.	2/- 6/-		
saved	3/6	10/6	—	Tom Watson	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Solid White	1/6	4/6	—	Florida Favorite	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Winter Queen	1/6	4/6	—	Black Spanish	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Celeriac or Turnip Rooted	2/6	—	—	Dixie	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Soup Celery, (seed for flavoring)	—	—	2/6	Mixed Early and Late Varieties	9d.	2/- 6/-		
CRESS				Other Sorts	9d.	2/- 6/-		
Curled	—	1/-	3/-	MELON, PRESERVING				
Water 1/- packet	—	—	—	Green Seeded Pie	9d.	1/9 5/-		
				Red Seeded Citron	9d.	1/9 5/-		
				Mango Melon	1/6	—		

These prices listed on these pages, (3,4,5,) are current at time of going to press, but are subject to alteration, as some of our supplies have not yet been received from our Seed Farms and Seed Growers. The prices will only be altered if absolutely necessary.

ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO NOTICE IN REFERENCE TO VARIETIES ON PAGE 7.

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		Prices, Post Paid.					Prices, Post Paid.		
		per oz.	¼-lb.	per lb.			per oz.	¼-lb.	per lb.
MUSTARD	Finest White	—	1/-	2/6					
ONIONS									
All local grown and strong germination.									
<i>EARLY VARIETIES—</i>									
Yates' Hunter River Early,									
very scarce		4/-	12/-	35/-					
Extra Early Golden Globe		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Yates' Light Skinned Spanish		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Lord Howe Island		4/-	12/-	35/-					
Early Barletta (Silverskin)		1/6	4/-	12/6					
White Italian Tripoli		1/6	4/-	12/6					
<i>MAIN CROP VARIETIES—</i>									
Brown Spanish Yates' "Derwent"									
Long Keeping (Tas. grown)		1/6	4/-	12/6					
Brown Spanish (Vic. grown)		9d.	2/-	6/-					
Ailsa Craig		1/9	5/-	15/-					
Silver King		1/6	4/-	12/6					
Giant Rocca		1/6	4/-	12/6					
Odourless		3/-	—	—					
Tree Onions, Potato Onions.									
Shallots and Garlic (bulbs only)		See	page	22					
PARSLEY	Extra Curled	9d.	2/-	6/-					
PARSNIP	Hollow Crown	9d.	1/6	3/6					
PEANUTS	...	—	—	2/-					
Special quote on application for quantity lots									
PURSLANE	...	1/6	4/-	12/6					
PUMPKIN									
Triamble		1/-	2/6	8/-					
Premium Ironbark		—	—	—					
Large Button		9d.	2/6	7/6					
Yates' Select Crown		9d.	2/6	7/6					
Sydney Crown		9d.	2/6	7/6					
Turks Cap		9d.	2/6	7/6					
Trombone or Gramma		1/-	3/-	9/-					
Mammoth Cattle		9d.	2/6	7/6					
Mixed Cattle for Stock		—	1/6	4/6					
RADISH									
Long		}	1/-	3/-					
French									
Red									
Scotch									
Mammoth									
White Tipped									
W		}	1/3	4/-					
W									
R									
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Bl									
RHUB	...	1/3	3/6	10/-					
ROSE	...	2/-	—	—					
SALS	...	1/3	4/-	—					
SEA KALE									
SPINACH									
Prickly Seeded		—	1/-	2/6					
Round Seeded		—	1/-	2/6					
Monstrous Viroflay		9d.	1/6	3/6					
New Zealand		1/-	3/-	—					
Spinach Beet or Lucullus		6d.	1/6	4/6					
SQUASH									
Early White Bush		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Early Golden Bush		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Mixed Summer		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Hubbard		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Mixed Winter		1/3	3/6	10/-					
Other Sorts		1/3	3/6	10/-					
SWEET CORN		All Varieties	—	1/-	2/6				
TOBACCO									
List of Varieties obtainable									
Sent on application									
3/6									
Own Saved Seed									
Am'can Saved Seed									
Per oz. Per oz.									
Yates' Harbinger		4/-	—	—					
Chalk's Early Jewel		4/-	3/-	—					
Yates' Market Favorite		4/-	—	—					
Earliana		4/-	3/-	—					
June Pink		—	3/-	—					
Burwood Prize		4/-	3/-	—					
Targinni Blue		—	3/-	—					
Ponderosa		—	3/-	—					
Matchless		4/-	3/-	—					
Stone		4/-	3/-	—					
Golden Queen		—	3/-	—					
Other Varieties		Write	for	Prices					
We recommend the Tomatoes of our "Own Saving." They are usually of exceptionally strong growth.									
TOMATO									
TURNIP									
Long White		9d.	1/9	5/-					
Purple-Top Munich		9d.	1/9	5/-					
White Stone		—	1/-	3/-					
Nepaul or White Strapleaf		—	1/-	3/-					
Red Top Stone		—	1/-	3/-					
Orange Jelly or Golden Ball		—	1/-	3/-					
Garden Swede		—	1/-	3/-					
Yates' Champion Purple Top		—	1/-	3/-					
Swede		—	1/-	3/-					
Yates' Monarch Swede		—	1/-	3/-					
Field Turnip (varieties)		—	1/-	3/-					
VEGETABLE MARROW									
Trailing Varieties—									
Yates' Ironbark		1/3	—	—					
Long Cream		9d.	2/3	6/6					
Long Green		9d.	2/3	6/6					
Rice Marrow		crop	failed	—					
Bush Varieties—									
Long White Bush		9d.	2/3	6/6					
Long Green Bush		9d.	2/3	6/6					
Custard Marrow		1/-	2/6	7/6					

Special Collections of Vegetable Seeds

To provide out-back stations and others with a supply of suitable seeds, which will keep in good condition under trying circumstances, we make up the following Collections. The varieties are specially selected and when ordered for the warmer districts of Australia, or for the Islands, these Collections are supplied in air-tight tin cases with movable lids. These Collections are never kept in stock by our agents, but can always be procured through them at a few days' notice, or we will supply them direct post free, on receipt of remittance. List of varieties subject to alteration to suit different climates.

We can supply the following Collection, post free to any address. It contains enough garden seeds to plant a moderate sized garden:—



	Packets		Packets		Packets
Beans, French or Kidney	3	Cucumber (sorts)	2	Parsnip, Hollow Crown	1
Beans, Broad Windsor	1	Herbs (sorts)	2	Radish, Long and Turnip	2
Beet, Blood Red	1	Lettuce (sorts)	2	Spinach	1
Cabbage, Early and Late	3	Leek	1	Squash	1
Carrots (sorts)	2	Melons, Water and Rock	2	Turnip (sorts)	2
Cauliflower, Early and Late	2	Mustard	1	Tomato	1
Celery, White	2	Onions (sorts)	2	Vegetable Marrow, Long Cream	1
Corn or Table Maize	1	Parsley, Triple Curled	1		
Cress, Curled	1	Peas, Early and Late	3	Choice Flower Seeds	13
		Pumpkin (sorts)	2		

Yates' Garden Guide

How to Grow Onions

Tomato Growing

We can supply a smaller Collection, containing the following packets, which will be found sufficient for a small cottage garden:—



	Packets		Packets		Packets
Beans, French	1	Onions	2	Turnip, White	1
Beet	1	Parsley	1	Turnip, Swede	1
Cabbage, Early and Late	2	Peas	1	Tomato	1
Carrot	2	Pumpkin	1	Vegetable Marrow	1
Cauliflower	1	Parsnip	1	Water Melon	1
Cucumber	1	Radish	1		
Lettuce	1	Rock Melon	1	Flower Seeds	6

Yates' Garden Guide

How to Grow Onions

Tomato Growing

For large gardens and station use, larger Collections are made up at £2, containing double the amount of seed, which will be found sufficient for all ordinary requirements.

Vegetable Seeds—Quantities to Sow per Acre

The following figures give the approximate quantity of seed required to be sown for each acre of crop under average Australian conditions.

Asparagus B. 2-lb.	Kohl Rabi B. 1-lb.	Rhubarb B. 4-lb.
Beet C. 4-lb.	Leek B. 3-lb.	Spinach C. 4-lb.
Beans A. 2-bus.	Lettuce B.C. 2-lb.	Squash D. 2-lb.
Broccoli B. ½-lb.	Melon, Water D. 2-lb.	Sweet Corn A. 15-lb.
Borecole B. ½-lb.	Melon, Rock D. ¾-lb.	Tomato B. 2-ozs.
Brussels Sprouts B. ½-lb.	Melon, Pie D. 2-lb.	Tobacco B. 1-ozs.
Cabbage B. ½-lb.	Onion C. 3-lb.	Turnip C. 2-lb.
Cauliflower B. ½-lb.	Parsley C. 2-lb.	Vegetable Marrow D. 2-lb.
Carrot C. 3-lb.	Parsnip C. 4-lb.	Mangolds C. 4-lb.
Cape Gooseberry B. 1-oz.	Peas A. 2-bus.	Sugar Beet C. 4-lb.
Capsicum B. 3-oz.	Pumpkin D. 2-lb.	Swede Turnip C. 2-lb.
Celery B. 2-oz.	Radish C. 6-lb.	Lawn Grass ... Broadcast 4-bus
Cucumber D. ½-lb.		

A.—Sow in rows where to remain

B.—Raise in seed beds and transplant

C.—Sow in rows and afterwards thin out

D.—Sow in hills or "groups" of seeds.

For all Prices of Vegetable Seeds by Weight see pages 3, 4 and 5

For full Cultural Directions see the Vegetable Seed Pages of this Catalogue also Yates' Garden Guide (1/- post free.)



Yates' List of Select
Strains of

VEGETABLE SEEDS

The following list of Vegetable Seeds is based on experience of Australasian conditions and gardening requirements extending over a period of nearly 40 years, and in addition field tests have been consistently carried on for over a quarter of a century at our trial grounds. In these "trials" we grow to maturity not only our own main lines, but also samples obtained from various parts of the world, thereby ensuring that our strains maintain their reputation for high quality.

NOTICE IN REFERENCE TO VARIETIES

Modern varieties of vegetables are in a great many cases selections and highly improved strains of older and inferior types. These improved strains are stable to a certain degree only, and considerable care is entailed, in the growing of high-grade seeds, to keep these types up to present standard and to improve on them.

We would point out, therefore, that under conditions of soil and season not altogether favorable, varieties may vary from the descriptions in these pages, especially as regards earliness or lateness of season, type and keeping quality.

The descriptions are intended to serve as a guide only, in the selection of sorts likely to prove most suitable for purposes required. Attention is drawn to Conditions of Sale and Non-Warranty on page 2.



ASPARAGUS

ASPERGE, Fr

6d. packet.

Price by Weight see page 3.

CULTIVATION. — Sow in spring in nursery beds, and, when the plants are large enough, say in the following winter, transplant into richly prepared beds. These should be made by trenching the ground two feet deep and by richly manuring the land deeply with stable manure, and bonedust. Plant in rows, fifteen inches apart, good, strong, one or two year old plants; we prefer these to three year old. Keep weeded, and in the winter time mulch heavily with well rotted stable manure and a scattering of kainit or salt. The soil can be earthed up round the plants in the early spring; this will assist to blanch the stems, but when the cutting season is over the bed should be levelled again. Care should be used not to weaken the young bed by cutting till the plants are vigorous and well established, which should be in two years after planting. Only cut the strong and vigorous shoots, and these sparingly to begin with. An Asparagus bed properly made and regularly attended to should last for very many years.

ARTICHOKE, GLOBE

ARTICHAUT, Fr.

6d. packet.

For Prices by Weight see page 3.

A vegetable much esteemed on the Continent. The flower heads are the edible portion, the base of the scales being considered a great delicacy. Sow the seed in nursery beds, and transplant the following season into well-manured land, three feet apart.



Artichoke: Globe

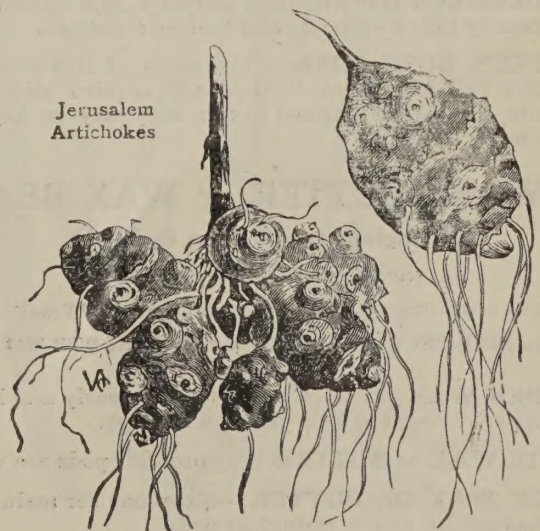
ARTICHOKE, JERUSALEM.

ARTICHAUT de JERUSALEM, Fr.

Entirely distinct from the preceding; they are very similar to potatoes, and should be cultivated in the same manner. They are grown from tubers, which should be planted in the early spring, in rows twenty inches apart and nine inches between the tubers. In large areas, to be horse cultivated, the rows should be two to three feet apart. They are also excellent stock food, especially for pigs.

Tubers, 3d. lb., 15s. cwt. Postage or freight extra.

Jerusalem
Artichokes



Conover's Colossal—The old standard variety; large heads
Palmetto — A favorite sort grown in America for market and canning; it is claimed to be earlier and a heavier yielder than any other variety.

In the winter and early spring we can also supply two and three year old Asparagus Roots of the above varieties at 12s. 6d. to 15s. per 100 according to size, freight extra.

E. C. P. — Glenorchy, Vic.

Would you please send me your Gardening Guide, for which I enclose 1/- I have mislaid the little book I had and I want to make the Lime Wash (recipe in book) to wash over iron for car-garage. The recipe in your book is worth 10 times more than the price you ask for booklet. I used it 23 years ago and it is as good on the iron to-day as it was the first week it was put on.

No need to speak well of your seeds; they talk for themselves.



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DWARF FRENCH or KIDNEY BEAN

HARICOTS NAINS, Fr.

6d. packet or post paid, 9d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—French Beans will crop freely in any good garden soil, but should have an open sunny situation. Plant in rows two feet apart, and three or four inches between the plants. Sow in spring, when danger from frost is over; afterwards every fortnight till the middle of summer, or right through the autumn warm or semitropical climates. They will not stand frost.

PALE DUN—Good and early. A very useful variety for first planting; tender and well flavored.

CANADIAN WONDER—An excellent cropper. The beans are almost twice the size of the other sorts. As a "general purpose" bean it cannot be beaten.

NEGRO—Productive and excellent; long pods.

MAGNUM BONUM—Has very large fleshy pods, heavy bearer.

EMPEROR WILLIAM—An improved variety with broad pods, tender and good flavored. 1/- packet, post paid 1/3.

HARICOT—Can be used as any other French Bean, or allowed to mature and be cooked in dry state.

DWARF STRINGLESS FRENCH BEAN

6d. packet, or post paid, 9d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Treat the same as for Dwarf French or Kidney.

DWARF STRINGLESS GREEN POD—Extremely early, very heavy cropper, finest quality.

REFUGEE—One of the best earlies in this section. Very fleshy, tender, and well flavored.

BYERS' BUSH—A remarkably productive variety bearing an immense number of fine quality tender fleshy pods.

GIANT PODDED STRINGLESS GREEN POD—Early and prolific, and as stringless as the Wax Beans.

LIMA BEAN

6d. packet, or 9d. packet post free.

CULTIVATION.—Plant in the late spring, when the ground is warm, and treat as other beans. These are only suitable for warm climates, and should not be planted quite so early in the spring as the Kidney Beans. They may be used like Broad Beans, shelled from the green pods, or they can be allowed to ripen and can then be cooked similar to the dry Haricots, to which they are much superior.

TALL LIMA—These are the large sort and require tall stakes. One of the best beans grown.

HENDERSON'S DWARF OR BUSH LIMA—The beans are small, but are extremely heavy croppers and require no sticks.

BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA—The seeds of this variety approximate in size to the Tall Lima, but it does not require sticking, and, although the plants are rather inclined to run, they may be kept dwarf by pinching off the taller shoots.

DWARF BUTTER or WAX BEAN

(Stringless and Golden Podded.)

6d. packet, or post paid 9d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Treat just the same as ordinary Dwarf French Beans. See also **KENTUCKY WONDER WAX** and **TALL MONT D'OR WAX** in the Climbing Bean Section.

GOLDEN WAX—One of the best; very early and heavy cropper. Pods are deep yellow and large.

WHITE WAX or BUTTER—Very prolific; pods are white.

BLACK WAX OR BUTTER—Excellent for main crop; it has golden yellow stringless pods.

BURPEE'S KIDNEY WAX—A Wax Bean of wonderful productiveness. The pods are very fleshy, have a remarkably fine flavor, and are quite stringless.

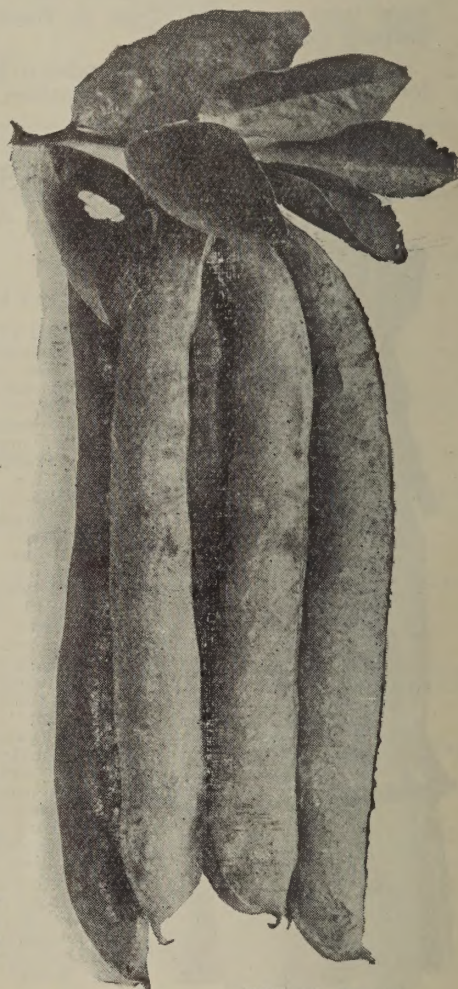
STARTLER WAX—Very heavy cropper; round fleshy pods, absolutely stringless. One of the best.

The following Butter Beans can also be supplied:—
KEENEY'S RUSTLESS. BROWN SEEDED WAX.

BROAD BEAN (FEVE, Fr).

6d. packet, or post paid, 9d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—These Beans thrive best in strong tenacious soil, but they will succeed almost anywhere. Sow at intervals for succession any time during autumn and winter, and (in cold climates) in the spring.



BROAD BEAN
Yates' Dreadnought—Long Pod

YATES' DREADNOUGHT LONG POD—This variety has been selected for many years by our Manchester house. It has shown itself to have longer as well as broader pods than any other Broad Bean. It is unequalled for exhibition, has robust constitution, and will produce the heaviest crop of all.

EARLY LONG POD—Very long podded and the earliest.
FOUR SEEDED WINDSOR—A good long podded strain of the Broad variety.

HARLINGTON BROAD WINDSOR—A good stock of this noted variety, broad pods, large beans.

CLIMBING FRENCH OR RUNNER BEANS

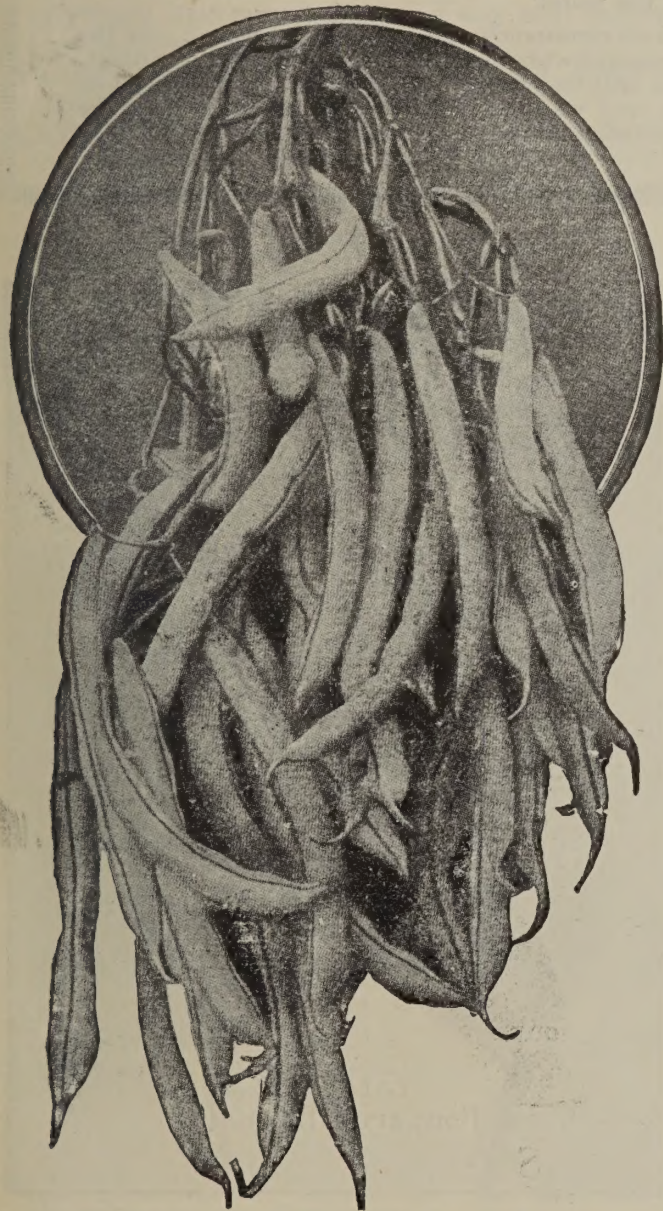
CLIMBING WAX PODDED VARIETIES.

HARICOTS A RAMES. Fr.

6d. packet, or post paid, 9d. packet.

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CULTIVATION.—Sow in the late spring and early summer, in rows four to six feet apart. When two or three inches above the surface, stakes eight feet high should be provided for them. They will not stand frost. A packet will sow twenty to thirty feet.



Beans: Yates' Ever-Bearing Stringless.

YATES' EVER-BEARING STRINGLESS—Stands hot climates well, perhaps better than any other Runner Bean. The pods are flat, fleshy and stringless, grow in clusters, and are tender and good flavored. A remarkably heavy cropper. These Climbing Beans are of great value to the man with small garden space. They can be grown up pillars made of stout stakes, on wire netting or strings; and for covering the garden fence with "something useful," they have no equal, provided some wire netting or other support is furnished for the tendrils to cling to.

EPICURE—A popular variety, bears large numbers of flat, handsome stringless pods, excellent quality, late.

KENTUCKY WONDER—Somewhat similar to Yates' Ever-Bearing Stringless, but earlier in season, and the pods are more fleshy and deeply creased. Quite stringless and very tender; carries wonderful crops.

GENERAL McCAY—The largest of the garden Runner Beans. The pods are a foot long, very broad, fleshy and almost stringless, they are produced in pairs and yield heavily. Supplies uncertain this year.

WHITE DUTCH—Very long pods; excellent. One of the best Running Beans for general requirements.

Scarlet Runners—These thrive in cool climates, such as Tasmania and South New Zealand; they also crop very well in North Queensland, sown in the autumn for winter use. If, when they are flowering, the weather is very hot, they are apt to drop their flowers without setting. Apart from their use as a vegetable, they are extremely ornamental. Where they succeed these are one of the best beans grown.

CLIMBING WAX PODDED VARIETIES.

KENTUCKY WONDER WAX—A wax podded form of this favorite variety which should prove very popular. The pods are long, thick and very meaty and the vine wonderfully prolific. 1/- packet, post paid 1/3.

TALL MONT D'OR—A tall growing butter bean, very tender

SUNDRY CLIMBING BEANS

The following are suitable for climates similar to or warmer than Sydney:—

SNAKE BEAN—Also called Asparagus Bean, the flavor somewhat resembling Asparagus. Bears long narrow stringless pods up to eighteen inches long. Packet 6d., or post paid 8d. packet.

GUADA "BEAN"—One of the Gourd family, not a bean, but is said to resemble a bean in flavor when cooked. Bears fruit four to five feet long. Packet 1s., post paid.

TONGAN BEAN—Produces immense quantities of large flat beans, which make good eating. Packet, 1s., or post paid 1s. 2d. packet.

MADAGASCAR BEAN—Should not be planted in climates colder than Sydney; they will stand any amount of heat. Plant the beans eight to twelve inches apart, as they are vigorous growers. Pkt., 1s., post paid 1s. 2d.



Snake Bean



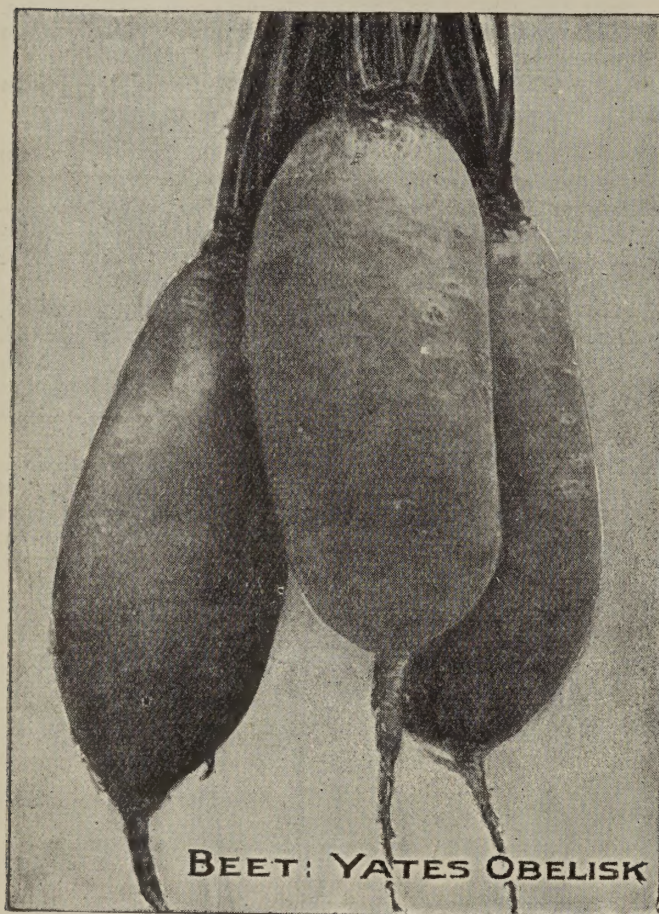
Two Very Fine Varieties of

BEETROOT



Originated and first introduced by our English House, and now much sought after by the leading growers in all parts of the world.

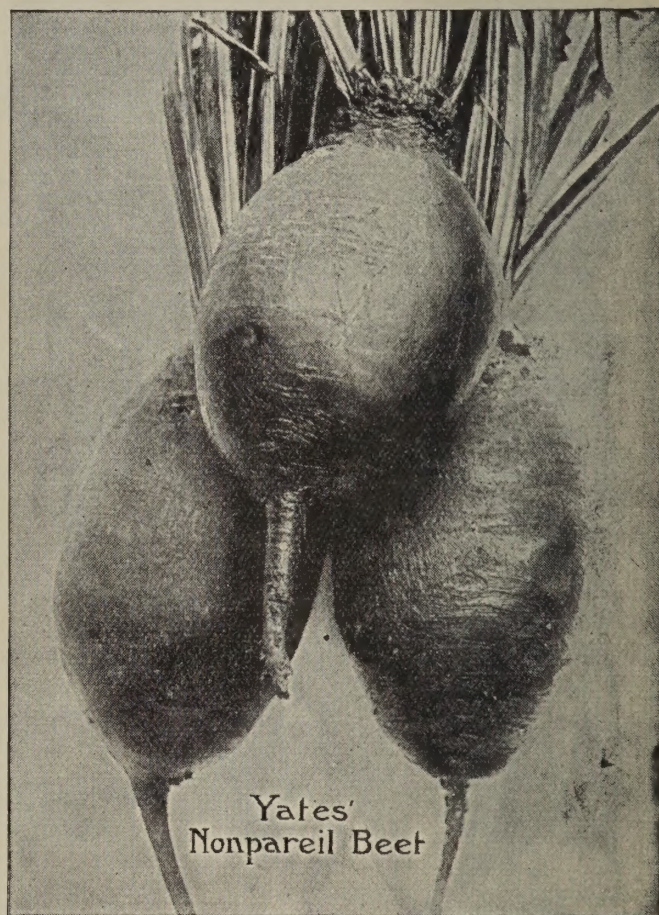
These varieties are the result of skilled selection carried on consistently and over a long period. As the leading Seed House of Australia we are proud to be connected with the introduction of these two varieties. They have created such interest that our English House sells two pound of these varieties to every one pound of all other varieties of Beets combined. The seed we offer is the raisers own stock. For the present the supply is rather limited



BEET: YATES OBELISK

YATES' OBELISK

A very early variety, and sure to be much asked for on account of its shape, which allows of the root being sliced with less waste than any other. The color and flavor of the roots are excellent. Packet, 6d.



Yates'
Nonpareil Beet

YATES' NONPAREIL

This is a new and quite distinct variety. The roots are oval and cut without waste. It is one of the earliest, and for quality, color and flavor it is one of the best. For the private garden as well as for market. Packet, 6d.

FOR PRICES BY WEIGHT SEE PAGE 3.



BEETROOT

BETTERAVE POTAGERES, Fr.

6d. packet.

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CULTIVATION—Deep, rich, dry land, which has been well manured for a preceding crop, is the best suited for Beet, though it will succeed in most soils. Sow in spring, in rows nine inches apart, and afterwards thin out to four or five inches between the plants. In warm climates they may also be grown in the autumn.

YATES' OBELISK } New and improved sorts.

YATES' NONPEREIL } See page 10.

EGYPTIAN TURNIP-ROOTED—A very early variety, and the favorite for warm climates.

YATES' CRIMSON GLOBE—Later than Egyptian Turnip-Rooted, larger and rounder.

YATES' EXCELSIOR BLOOD-RED—Long and pointed, grows to a fair size, perfect shape, deep crimson in color.

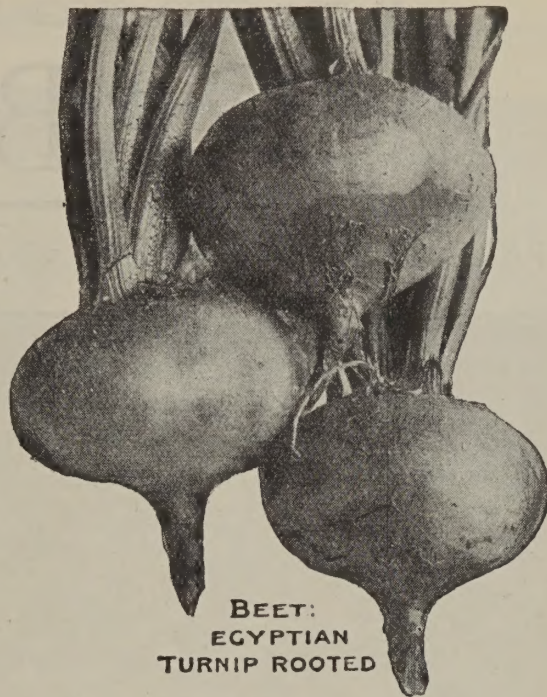
Dell's Crimson—A small half-long, very dark color, both root and foliage.

SILVER SPINACH or SEAKALE BEET (Poiree Bette, Fr.)

—This is grown for the leaves, which make an excellent dish cooked like Spinach, or the midribs of the leaves are boiled and served with melted butter. Splendid summer vegetable. *Note*: when gathering the leaves, they should be pulled not cut.

SUGAR BEET, WANZELBEN (Betterave a Sucre, Fr.)—

A splendid root crop for fodder purposes, having a high nutritive value. Also grown in many countries for sugar production.



BEET:
EGYPTIAN
TURNIP ROOTED

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

CHOU de BRUXELLES, Fr.

6d. packet.

Corecole and Brussels Sprouts are both cold climate plants and succeed best in Tasmania, South New Zealand, and the colder and elevated parts of the mainland of Australia. Where heavy winter frosts are experienced they should be largely planted for winter use. Sow late summer.

For Prices by Weight see pages 3, 4 and 5.



Sugar Beet

BORECOLE

(Scotch Kale or Curley Greens)

CHOU FRISE, Fr.

6d. packet.

For prices by Weight see pages 3, 4 and 5. Succeed best in cold climates, where heavy frosts are experienced. Plant in late summer for winter use. Treat the same as cabbage. The foliage makes an excellent vegetable boiled.

BROCCOLI

CHOU BROCOLI, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow late in spring and early summer. Treat the same as Cauliflower, which it greatly resembles, except that it is later and more hardy, and more suitable for winter flowering in cold climates. They will head in during the following winter and spring.

Early White—Best Early.

Late White—For succession.

CURLY GREENS

IN

TROPICAL DISTRICTS

We usually recommend this vegetable be grown only where frosts are experienced. These make the foliage tender and good flavored. However, one of our customers in Rabaul advises that he has grown and used Curly Greens very successfully, and that by adding a little sugar when cooking they are just as good eating as when grown in cool climates. We will be glad to have opinions from other tropical gardeners.



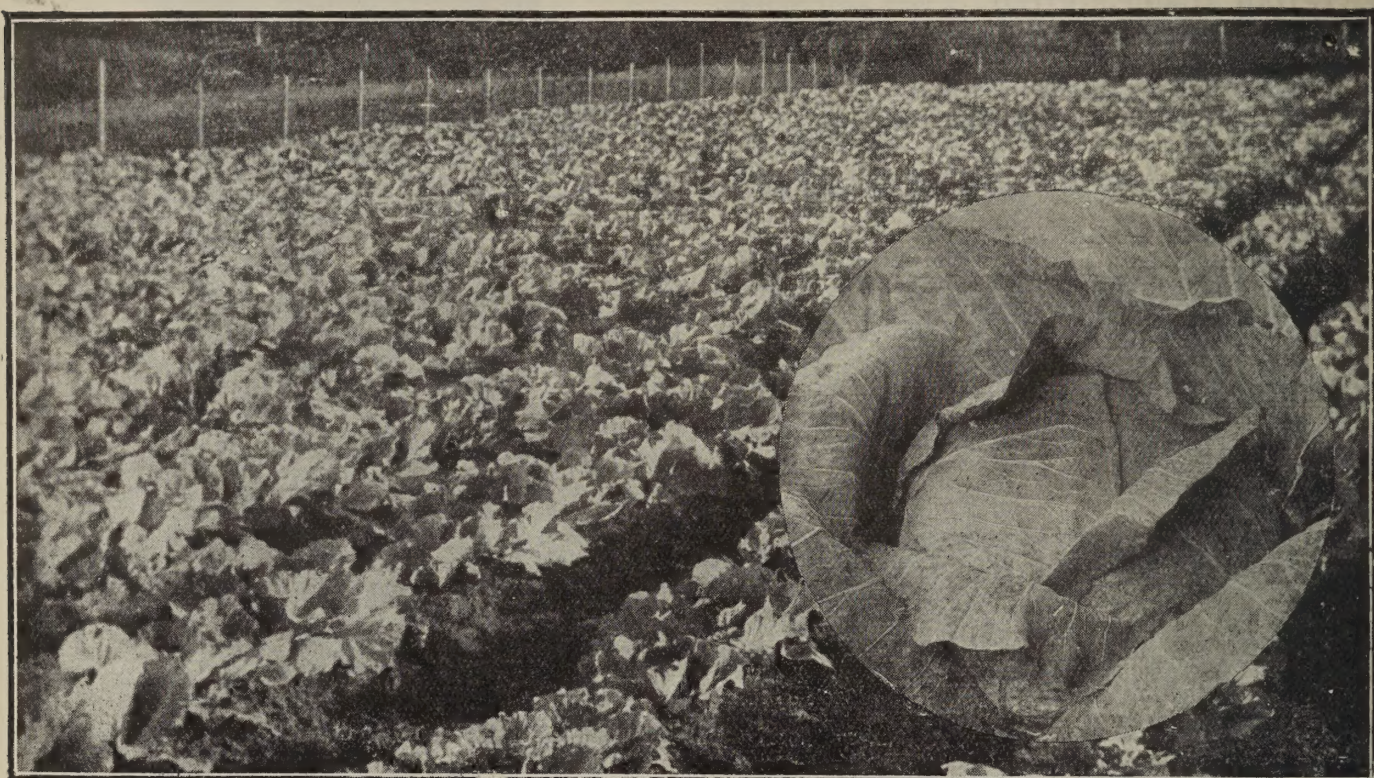
SILVER SPINACH BEET



YATES' TWO SPECIALITIES IN MARKET GARDEN

CABBAGE

FAVOURED BY MARKET GROWERS THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.



We recommend that these two well-tried sorts be grown for the main crop; and at the same time that small beds of some of the varieties on the opposite page such as Yates' Vanguard, Yates' Utility, etc., be put in as trials. In some situations we believe these newer varieties will prove profitable. Growers ordering Drumhead or Succession by weight may obtain trial packets of other varieties *gratis* on application, providing they agree to report to us the result of their tests.

YATES' EARLY DRUMHEAD (The best market variety)

—This is our great Speciality for Market Gardeners. It is similar to Henderson's Succession, but a week or so later, and in our trials a hardier and more generally useful cabbage. There is no better variety for standing the hot Australian summer, in fact, it will keep growing when all others fail; the aphid does not touch it to any extent. We consider this the finest market cabbage grown; in good seasons it matures in four months. The heads are large and extremely solid, the foliage is blue-green; a short stemmed variety and a wonderful carrier.

YATES' SPECIALLY SELECTED STRAIN—This is a re-selected stock grown on our Tasmanian Seed Farm and has given much satisfaction this past season. 6d. pkt.

For prices by weight see page 3.

European Grown—6d. pkt. For prices by weight see page 3.

HENDERSON'S SUCCESSION (A fine long standing market sort.)

—Very similar to Yates' Early Drumhead. It is a splendid variety for growing for market, as it stands the hot Australian summer and carries well. It usually matures in about fifteen weeks in a good season, and hearts in regularly. We recommend this as the best and longest standing cabbage for autumn planting for spring use. In our trial grounds this is the last market cabbage to run to seed.

YATES' RE-SELECTED STRAIN—Re-selected from Henderson's original stock and grown on our Tasmanian Seed Farm. We have received many complimentary reports of this strain. 6d. packet.

For price by weight, see page 3.

European Grown—6d. pkt. For price by weight see page 3.

American Grown—We are stocking this season, a line of American Grown Henderson's Succession produced by a leading American Grower. We offer this especially for those who prefer American Seed. 6d. packet.

For price by weight see page 3.

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CABBAGE

CHOU, Fr.

6d. packet.

FOR PRICES BY WEIGHT SEE PAGE 3.

CULTIVATION.—Cabbages do best on a deeply trenched and highly manured soil. They may be sown during the greater part of the year, the main planting being made in late summer and autumn. Sow in seed beds, and, when large enough, plant out in rows eighteen inches apart and eighteen inches between the plants. The Drumhead varieties will require a little more room than this. For private gardens in the cool season of the year we recommend such early small hearting sorts as Yates' First Early, Early York, and Sugarloaf as the most delicate flavored and tenderest table varieties; they also stand longer without running to seed than many other sorts.

EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES

YATES' FIRST EARLY—Not large, but the earliest of all, and one of the best for table use; pointed heart, tender and good flavored, the best early sort for the cool season of the year.

St. JOHN'S DAY, SMALL EARLY—Quite distinct from the large St. John's Day. One of the earliest cabbages grown, small and firm hearting, and one of the best for hot tropical climates. It matures in three months.

EARLY YORK—A first early cabbage with upright oval heart, nearly twice as long as broad. Excellent for table.

LARGE YORK—Similar in shape to Early York, but larger, rather spreading outside leaves.

SUGARLOAF—Somewhat similar in type to the preceding; long narrow oval-ended heart, fairly short stemmed, compact. Tender and good flavored, fine for home garden

YATES' EARLY DRUMHEAD—See opposite page.

HENDERSON'S SUCCESSION—See opposite page.

SECOND EARLY and MAIN CROP VARIETIES

YATES' VANGUARD—A fine early market variety, producing a splendid quality short stemmed cabbage with very solid round heads. One of the earliest round cabbage and carries well. Heads in surely and evenly and can be planted fairly close together.

YATES' UTILITY—In season it is a little later than Yates' Vanguard and is a little larger than that variety. Heads are of good size, almost round, very solid and heavy. Fine quality and flavor.

Early Flat Dutch—This is somewhat similar to the Early Drumhead and Succession type.

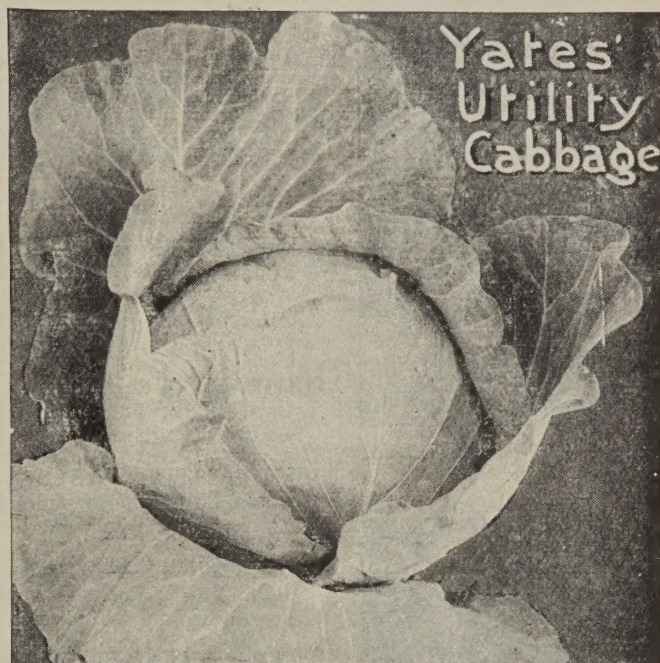
St. JOHN'S DAY, YATES' SELECT IMPROVED—Large, perhaps one of the best for summer use. Highly recommended for growing during the hot summer season, as it stands well.

COPENHAGEN MARKET—An early round cabbage with large solid heads.

WINNINGSTADT—An excellent second early variety for summer use. Does best in most districts if sown in late autumn or early spring. The heart is pointed in shape, of medium size and extremely solid. It is a sure header, carries and keeps well. In California it is very largely used for market and shipping.

ENFIELD MARKET—A fine, rather conical-headed second early sort which has been largely used for autumn planting in the Sydney market growing areas, good flavor. This variety is usually a sure and even header.

See Note in Reference to Varieties on page 7.



London Market, East Ham, West Ham—All similar to Enfield Market.

ALLHEAD—Earlier than any of the large cabbage. Solid deep flat hearts, and remarkably uniform in color, shape and size. It is of such compact growth, that a much greater number than usual, with the larger cabbage, can be grown to the acre.

SUREHEAD—Noted for the certain and even way it heads in; hardly so large as Succession, but of similar shape and habit. The round flattened heads are extremely hard, fine in texture and of good flavor. Keeps well and is a good carrier.

Yates' Aphis Proof—An excellent glossy leaved variety for planting in the hot season, in localities where the aphis is so troublesome. It does not always give compact hearts, often only loose leaves being produced, which, however, make an excellent vegetable.

Chinese Cabbage (Pe-tsai)—A loose leaved variety. The leaves make an excellent vegetable boiled like Spinach.

LATE VARIETIES

Generally speaking, these late sorts do better in cooler climates than ours. They grow to large size and some of our customers have been very successful with them, but large plantings are not recommended until a trial has been made. As a rule, Yates' Early Drumhead and Succession will prove more satisfactory.

Yates' Mammoth Late Drumhead—Compact hearts, very large. Four to six weeks later than our Early Drumhead.

Savoy Drumhead—For use only in cold districts where the frosts make the foliage tender and sweet; sow in summer.

Prize Red—For pickling. Does best in cold climate

Also Schweinfurt Drumhead and Robinson's Ox.



CARROT

CAROTTE, Fr.

6d. packet.

For all Prices by Weight, see pages 3, 4 and 5.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in spring and early summer, and, in warm districts, again in early autumn. Plant in rows nine inches apart, and, when large enough, thin to three or four inches between the plants. The short varieties are the best for shallow soils. In France, Carrots are usually used when quite young and half grown; they are much sweeter and more delicate in flavor than when mature. For this purpose the Early Horn should be planted, and successional sowings made each month. We commend this system of culture to our clients; indeed, all Carrots are much better used before fully grown.

TABLE VARIETIES

Early French Forcing—This is a delicious little table carrot, tender and sweet-flavored, and very early. It is almost globe shaped.

EARLY HORN—Short; the best for early market. In shallow ground a good variety to plant, even for main crop.

OXHEART (Guerande)—A very heavy cropping sort, either for table or stock purposes; in shape it is moderately short and very thick set, and stump rooted. The color is a bright orange-scarlet, rather large core.

MANCHESTER TABLE—Half long, blunt ended, good, very early, and suitable for warm climates. A splendid variety, hardly so large as Intermediate, but a finer carrot for table use, and very sweet flavored.

HALF LONG DANVERS—In shape midway between the stump root of Manchester Table and the pointed root of Short Intermediate. It is a very heavy cropper and is largely grown in America for table use and for stock.

YATES' SELECTED SHORT INTERMEDIATE—Good for general use. More largely grown than any other. Half long. Yields very large crops.

ST. VALERY (or Long Intermediate)—A Large pointed variety of the finest quality. Splendid for main crop.

Altrincham—Extra long, deep scarlet; suitable for deep soils.

FIELD VARIETIES

Some of the above mentioned are largely used for stock feeding as well as the following which are specially suitable.

White Belgian, Yates' Selected—Best for stock feeding. Stands well out of the ground, and is easy to pull, long cylindrical white roots.

Orange Giant—A very heavy cropping field sort, broad shoulder and fairly deep, rich deep orange coloring, does not grow out of the ground like foregoing.

Sinclair's Champion—A splendid variety for dairy cows; giving a remarkably heavy yield per acre.

CAPE GOOSEBERRY.

ALKEKENGE, Fr.

6d. Packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in spring, when danger from frost is over, and, when large enough, plant out two or three feet apart in any ordinary garden soil. For cultivation see Tomato, to which it is akin.

CAPSICUM or PEPPER

PIMENT, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in seed bed in late spring and transplant when large enough. They should be planted three feet apart; they are most easily grown, requiring a sunny situation, ample water and well manured soil. They are used for garnishing, in pickles and chutneys, and for flavoring soups. Some of the larger and milder varieties are used green as a vegetable.

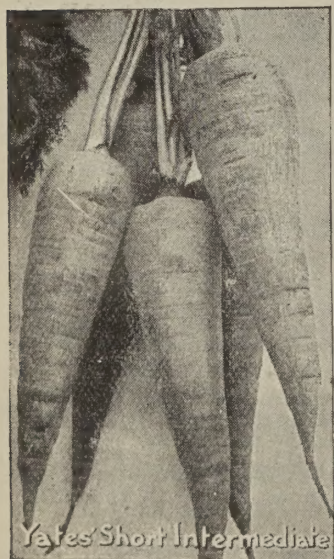
We stock the following varieties:

Celestial, *Bird's Eye Chili, Large Red, Large Cherry, Long Yellow,
Fine Mixed, Long Red Chili, Large Bell or Bullnose.

Those marked * are hot varieties usually used for Pickles and Chutneys



Early Horn Carrot



Yates Short Intermediate



CAULIFLOWER

CHOU FLEUR, Fr.

6d. packet, except where specially priced.

CULTIVATION.—The main thing in growing good Cauliflowers is to rush them on quickly, and never allow them to be checked in their growth; in dry weather they should be copiously watered, especially if just planted out. The soil should be deeply trenched and well-dressed with stable manure, and occasional dressings of liquid manure during the growing season will materially increase the crop. Sow in seed beds, and, when large enough, transplant in rows two feet apart and eighteen inches between the plants. Hill up between the rows, and keep the ground well cultivated. Summer and autumn are the best seasons to sow. **The later varieties are very much the hardiest,** and will often make good heads under circumstances which would cause the early varieties to "button." The early sorts mature in three to four months, the later ones five to eight months. In cold climates, such as Southern New Zealand and Tasmania, where the cabbage aphid is not prevalent, they may also be sown in the early spring.

SELF-PROTECTING VARIETIES

(Mediterranean Type)

THESE varieties have been found very suitable for Australian conditions in a series of tests carried out at our Exeter Trial Grounds. They are extremely hardy, and their vigorous habit of growth and large and incurving leaves are a greater protection to the flower than in the following varieties. For succession, we would recommend a sowing of each in December and January. We have listed them in their order of earliness. They are all good headers under suitable conditions.

EARLY ITALIAN GIANT—One of the earliest of this type. The flowers are large, white, and firm, heading in about five months after sowing.

VEITCH'S AUTUMN GIANT, YATES' SELECTED—One of the best main crop sorts, heading in about six months from sowing; excellent. This variety is very hardy, and will make large heads in seasons when all the early sorts fail. Decidedly the best for main crop; heads large and white.

LATE ITALIAN GIANT—A self-protecting variety, ready seven months after sowing. One of the hardiest and best for succession, heads white and close.

LATE METROPOLE—The latest of the Italian Giant Cauliflowers; very vigorous and hardy. The heads of Late Metropole are large, beautifully white, solid and tender, and perfectly protected by the closely folding inner leaves. The heads often attain a weight of twenty pounds, or more, and, when well grown, should average eighteen pounds without foliage. Usually ready for cutting eight months after sowing.



CAULIFLOWERS FOR MARKET.

To those intending to plant large areas, we wish to point out that Cauliflower is a precarious crop, the very high prices usually realised by those who are successful being convincing proof of this. The different varieties which modern horticulture has evolved are stable to a limited extent only. When conditions of soil and season are not altogether favorable the crop is likely to vary considerably in earliness, uniformity and type; sometimes Cauliflowers will fail to "head" at all. The descriptions are only intended to serve as a guide in the selection of varieties likely to be most suitable. Attention is directed to Conditions of Sale and Non-Warranty on page 2.

For Prices by Weight, see Pages 3, 4 and 5.

TWO SPECIALITIES

Yates' Phenomenal Early.—A very fine variety maturing in about four months. The foliage is pointed rather curled and open. The heads are of good size, close grained and of splendid color. Per packet, 6d.

Yates' Phenomenal Main Crop.—Matures in about six months. In habit it is semi self-protecting. Very large white heads of splendid texture. In our trials a hardy sort of first quality. Per packet 6d.

SUCCESS IN AUSTRALIA

Mrs. P. C. ————— Grogan 26.9.23

The Phenomenal Main Crop Cauliflower Seed I purchased from you in the autumn turned out well. I entered them in the Temora Show and took two first prizes. They are very large and weigh up to 20lbs., leaves and all. There were only four that did not head well.

Mr. William M. ————— Ardrossan, S.A.

I planted Yates' Phenomenal Cauliflower last year, and the general opinion in the district was that they were the finest Cauliflower ever grown in this lime-stony district.

NON SELF-PROTECTING

(Dutch Type)

YATES' GOLIATH—Has snowy white heads, partially covered by the foliage, is long keeping, and of excellent quality. This variety has proved very successful in Queensland sown in January. 1s. packet.

YATES' EARLIEST OF ALL—One of the best early varieties. It grows to a moderate size and comes in a few weeks before Early London. This, and Yates' Early Mommoth, are suitable for private gardens, where they receive good cultivation and attention; we do not recommend them for hot season conditions. 1s. packet.

YATES' EARLY MAMMOTH—Large and very early variety, coming into use a few days after above.

EARLY SHORT STEMMED ECLIPSE—An excellent early variety, maturing in four to five months after sowing. It is a very large Cauliflower, and we strongly recommend it for early use, especially for marketing, to be followed by the later varieties. We offer Victorian grown seed.

EARLY LONDON—Early, medium size, a very old and esteemed standard variety.

LATE ECLIPSE—A favorite variety amongst the Victorian market growers. Large and very hardy, matures in six to seven months. Splendid heads.

WALCHEREN—Excellent variety, very late and sure-header, large straight upright foliage.

LARGE ASIATIC—Good for main crop. Similar to Walcheren.



CELERY

CELERI, Fr.

For Prices by Weight, see pages 3, 4 and 5.

CULTIVATION.—Sow early in the spring on a good rich nursery bed and, when the plants are large enough to handle, prick out a few inches apart into well-drained, shallow boxes. Trenches, four feet apart and eighteen inches deep, must be prepared by digging in a large quantity of well rotted stable or cow manure. When the plants are three or four inches high, put out in showery weather into these trenches, allowing six inches between each plant and supplying water (if required) till the plants are established; the great art in raising this vegetable is to keep them continually growing. When half matured the plants should be tied round with raffia, and then earthed up to the base of the leaves to blanch the stems; this process may be repeated as the plants grow. They should be well watered in dry weather and never allowed to become dry.

EARLY SELF-BLANCHING

For Summer and Autumn use.

6d. packet.

The following are the best of the **American Dwarf Early Celeries**, and are particularly suitable for our Australian climate, as they mature at least three months earlier than the old sorts, and require very little earthing up, the stems being naturally blanched and very tender. Sown in the early spring, they are ready for use during the summer and early autumn. They are not hardy enough to stand through the winter.

For late use, the **Solid White** should be planted.

WHITE PLUME—Splendid, tender, self-blanching. Dwarf compared with Late Winter Varieties, and requires much less earthing up.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING (Improved)—Rather later than the preceding, but larger and of splendid quality; produces thick solid stalks of a rich golden color. We are stocking this year French saved seed; it is more costly than American Seed, but is preferred by market growers. The strain we are offering now is vigorous, taller growing and very regular in type, and develops rapidly.

LATE HARDY WINTER

6d. packet.

SOLID WHITE—Excellent late variety. The best of the English large white stemmed varieties.

WINTER QUEEN—A variety well known in the U.S.A., late, compact and easily blanched.

Celeriac, or Turnip Rooted Celery (Celeri-Rave, Fr.)—This is grown for the roots, which are in great favor for boiling or for flavoring soups, etc.; also for salads.

Soup Celery—Seed is used for flavoring soups, or made into tea by some as a remedy for rheumatism.

CHOKO

CHAYOTE, Fr.

1s. each, post paid.

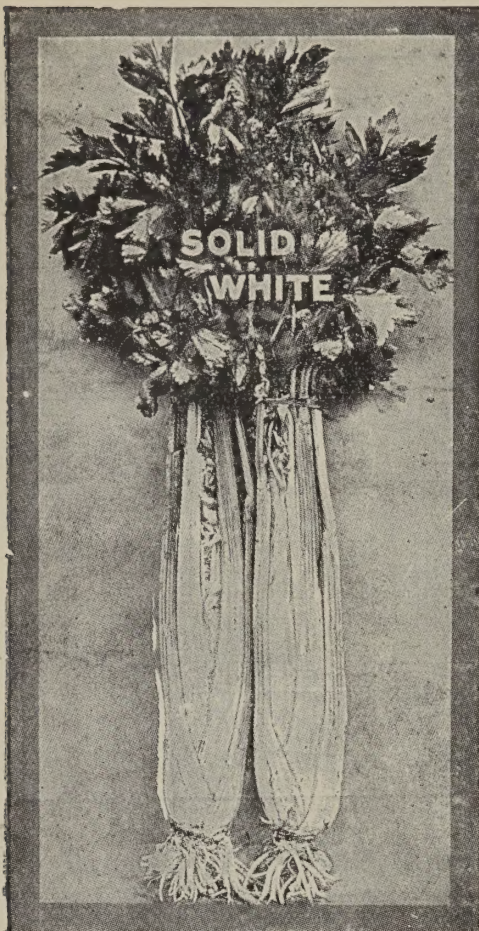
A tender marrow-like vine, only suitable for warm climates. Produces an edible fruit, similar to a Vegetable Marrow, in very large numbers. Cannot be supplied after September; plant in spring. These are vigorous growing plants, and do best when allowed to ramble over a trellis or fence.

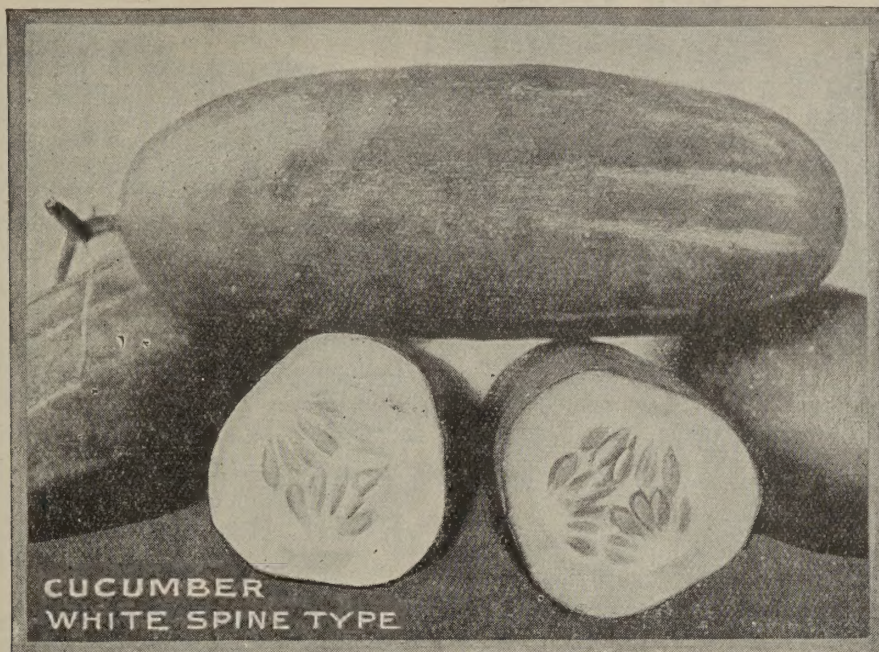
CRESS

CRESSON, Fr.

Curled—The well-known salad usually served up with Mustard. Should be sown very thick and cut for salad when two to three inches high. Imparts a delicious flavor to sandwiches. 6d. packet

Water Cress—Sow in moist places. 1s. packet (only).





CUCUMBER CONCOMBRE, Fr.

6d. packet.

These are a specialty with us, and all the leading varieties are specially grown for us. Prices by Weight, see Pages 3, 4 and 5.

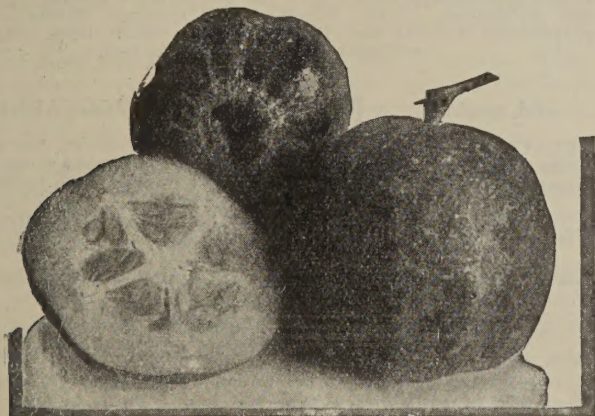
CULTIVATION.—Plant when the soil is warm and danger from frost is over, in hills four feet apart each way. The soil should be most liberally manured, and a dressing of liquid manure during the growing season will materially increase the crop. The plants should be thinned to four in each hill and be kept well watered. For early use, they require to be raised in a frame and planted out when the weather is warm; in this case they must be protected till well hardened off. If the plants are inclined to grow too luxuriantly, pinch off the ends of the shoots.

New Siberian—The earliest. This is a very free bearer, producing short prickly fruit up to five inches long in great profusion. If used in young state splendid for pickling.

IMPROVED WHITE SPINE—One of the finest strains in cultivation, of medium length, thick and solid, largely grown for market in Sydney; very prolific.

LONG GREEN PRICKLY—The most prolific, a favorite market variety.

APPLE SHAPED—Small round variety, very prolific and sweet flavored; more digestible than the ordinary sorts. Excellent for private gardens.



YATES' MANGERE PRIZE—The fruit measures up to twenty inches long, of perfect shape, and produced in large numbers. Unfortunately, they give very few seeds, and the seed is consequently high in price.

YATES' SYDNEY PICKLING—A favorite sort for this purpose. The fruit should be pulled when three inches to five inches long according to requirements.

Short Prickly—Very early, and an immense cropper.

African Cucumber (Horned)—Very prolific. When fully ripe, the skin turns brilliant orange and the inside is juicy like a passion fruit; with sugar it has a most delicious flavor. Thrives in hot climates.

Giant Pera—A large variety, smooth, light green skin.

Japanese Climbing—Will grow over a trellis. Produces medium long dark green fruit, crisp and good flavored.

West India Gherkin—Oval shaped, prickly, for pickling only

ENGLISH FRAME VARIETIES

These are not so hardy as the other varieties, and in cold districts should be grown in a frame, 1s. packet (only).

Rollison's Telegraph, Duke of Edinburgh, Lockie's Perfection, Marquis of Lorne, Tender and True.

YATES' RELIABLE SEEDS always give the greatest satisfaction because "Quality" is bred in them.

Mr. J. W. C ———, Ballina.

Last year I purchased Cucumber seed from you, it was a wonderful crop, very large fruit and sold real well. The Tomato seed you sent to me is doing well. I have 10,000 bushes with fruit on. There are hundreds of Tomatoes that are over a pound each, and if this heavy rain does not spoil them I will have a great crop

Mr. Chau Kwae Shang, Canton, China. S'd 23

Your seeds have been grown here in these recent years and they have already proved to be satisfactory because of their adaptability to the climatic and soil conditions here

The above descriptions are for guidance only, results depend largely on the soil and season. See "Notice in Reference to Varieties" on page 7.



EGG PLANT

AUBERGINE, Fr.

6d. packet.



CULTIVATION.—Sow in a warm situation in late spring where they have to remain, as they are rather difficult to transplant satisfactorily; the plants may stand eighteen inches to two feet apart. The fruit are cut in slices and then fried in butter with suitable seasoning, or they are delicious made into fritters

New York Spineless — The very best variety.

ENDIVE

CHICOREE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Treat the same as Lettuce. It is used like Lettuce for salads. When nearly full grown, tie up or cover with a slate to blanch the leaves. Endive is grown quite successfully in the tropical Pacific Islands, and we recommend customers in the tropics to give it a place in their gardens.

Batavian, Broad or Round Leaved (Scarole Fr.) — Green, large, fairly solid heads of broad twisted or waved green leaves and thick white mid ribs, can be blanched white; is also used as cooked greens.

Green Curled—(Chicoree Frisee Fr.) Dense heads with divided or curly leaves of bright green color, blanching readily to creamy white.

GRANADILLA

1s. packet.

A large variety of Passion Vine, suitable for semi-tropical climates. The fruit, when ripe, resembles a Rock Melon in flavor. Suitable only for outdoor cultivation in semi-tropical climates.



GUADA "BEAN"

1s. packet, post paid.

One of the climbing Gourd family; not a Bean. It has fruit four to five feet long in warm climates. Sow in late spring. Is an acceptable vegetable.

HERBS

Grown on Yates' Seed Farms.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in spring, or in the autumn where the winters are mild, in sheltered seed beds or boxes; transplant when large enough. If too thick, thin out before they are too large. When in full bloom, gather and dry and pack away for future use in air-tight bottles.

THYME (Thym, Fr.)—For seasoning and soups.

SAGE (Sauge, Fr.)—For seasoning.

MARJORAM (Marjolaine, Fr.)—For flavoring.

Lavender (Lavande, Fr.)—For its aromatic smell.

The following Herbs can also be supplied:

Balm, Borage, Chervil, Chicory, Henbane, Horehound, Rue, Hyssop, Rosemary, Savory, Taragon and Wormwood

Mint is readily grown from roots.

Herb Roots—In variety. 6d. per bundle of each variety

KOHL RABI (Turnip-Rooted Cabbage)

CHOU RAVE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in late Summer and autumn in a seed bed. When large enough, usually in six weeks or so, they may be transplanted into a well manured bed, setting the plants 15 inches apart. They are usually ready three or four months later and are best used when half grown. Kohl Rabi is a vegetable intermediate between the Cabbage and Turnip, and combines the flavor of both.

Purple and Green Varieties.

LEEK

POIREAU, Fr.

Grown on Yates' Seed Farms.

6d. packet

CULTIVATION.—Sow early in spring and summer, and afterwards transplant in rows twelve or fifteen inches apart into deep soil, which cannot be too highly manured. It is a good plan to plant them in a trench like Celery, they can then be more easily watered and blanching. Keep watered during dry weather; if with liquid manure so much the better. When the plants have attained a good size, draw the soil about them to blanch the stems.

London Flag—Hardy and good.

Musselburgh—Larger than the previous sort.

The Lyon—Longer, but not so thick as the preceding, suitable for exhibition.

MUSHROOM SPAWN

1s. 3d. per brick (postage 1s. extra).

Autumn and Winter are the most suitable seasons for the cultivation of Mushrooms in the open, but they can be grown at almost any time in cool dark cellars, etc., where the temperature ranges between 50 and 60 degrees. Yates' Garden Guide contains directions as to preparation of beds and the cultivation. Each brick should be sufficient to spawn six square feet.

6d. packet. **MUSTARD** MOUTARDE, Fr.

CULTIVATION.—This useful salad should be grown the same as Cress. It may be sown at any season. If required to come in with Cress it should be sown a week later. Cut when two inches high, and while still in the seed leaf.

Finest White—The best for garden use

10/- Collection Vegetable Seeds.

Mrs. P. L. —

Gulpong.

13.11.23

I wish to congratulate you on the success of your Seeds. I had splendid results from the 10/- Collection of Vegetable Seeds obtained from you. The Lettuce were as big as Cabbages; people in the neighbourhood never saw better. The Spinach was beautiful and the Cabbages are coming on splendidly.



Yates Long Standing

Yates Champion Cabbage

LETTUCE

LAITUE Fr.

6d. packet

For Prices by Weight, see pages 3, 4 and 5.

CULTIVATION.—Lettuce may be sown at any season of the year. Transplant into rich ground from six to nine inches apart, or in dry weather sow in the permanent beds, and thin to this distance and water freely. To get good crisp Lettuce, they require to be grown quickly; rich land is indispensable, and liquid manure will improve both the quality and quantity.

CABBAGE VARIETIES

The leading sorts are grown on Yates' Seed Farm.

There are two main types of Cabbage Lettuce, which may best be described as "Crisp Curled" and "Butterhead." The Crisp Curled have a distinct brittle or glassy texture in the leaves, while the Butterhead type have rather thicker foliage, and the inner leaves are "buttery." Both types are favoured and both largely grown. In the above illustration Yates' Long Standing is representative of the Butterhead type and Yates Champion Cabbage of the Crisp Curled type.

YATES' CHAMPION CABBAGE (Crisp Curled)—One of the largest, stands a long time before seeding; this variety has a slight pink edging round the outer leaves.

YATES' AMERICAN SUMMER (Crisp Curled)—Withstands hot dry spring and summer weather without quickly running to seed. They form good firm hearts, and are wonderfully crisp and good flavored.

YATES' LONG STANDING (Butterhead)—Large firm hearting of pale color and sweet flavor. It stands longer than other varieties and is a fine and very useful sort for general crop.

NEAPOLITAN (Crisp Curled)—A splendid variety for our climate; produces close firm and beautifully crisp heads of extra large size. Crinkled foliage of good color. A favorite for all seasons.

ICEBERG (Crisp Curled)—A really good variety, is early, hearts well and evenly. Large and crisp, with tender crinkled leaves; yellowish green, with a slight tinge of pink; similar to Yates' Champion Cabbage.

Three Varieties

Specially recommended
for Tropical Climates.

MIGNONETTE (Crisp Curled) — Small solid heart, outer leaves tinged brown. This is a very sure hearting variety and has been found to do specially well in tropical climates.

ALL THE YEAR ROUND (Butterhead)—Early sort, light green heads well folded, heart beautiful, blanched, plain leaves.

TOM THUMB (Butterhead)—Very early, small, compact, firm heart, dark green, smooth edged.

NOTE.—In some of the tropical districts the Cos varieties are found to do well as a winter crop. Try them.

HANSON (Crisp Curled)—Light green, curly leaves with fringed edges of finest quality,

CONTINUITY (Butterhead)—A medium large butter variety with reddish brown heads. Remains long in use.

MAY KING (Butterhead)—A new very early variety, ready within a few weeks from planting. Medium size, light green, crisp buttery heads. The earliest Butterhead.

MALTA OR DRUMHEAD (Crisp Curled) — A good summer variety. The leaves are smooth.

WEBB'S WONDERFUL (Crisp Curled)—Green leaves, standing a long time and of large size; very solid.

COS or UPRIGHT VARIETIES

LAITUE ROMAINE, Fr.

6d. packet.

Extremely hardy, suitable for cold districts; also found to do very well as a winter crop in tropical climates.

Yates' Champion Cos—The best Cos; large and crisp, will grow to a very large size.

Paris White—Excellent

MUSHROOM SPAWN and MUSTARD

See previous page.



MARROW

See Vegetable Marrow, Page 32.

MELONS, ROCK or MUSK.

MELON BRODES, Fr.

6d. packet.

For Prices by Weight see pages 2, 3 and 4.

CULTIVATION.—To grow this delicious fruit follow the instructions given for Cucumbers. They do best in a light, rich, well-manured soil, and require plentiful watering when the plants are young, which however must be discontinued when the fruit is set. They require a warm climate, or in cool districts may be grown in frames.

ROCKY FORD (Netted Gem)—One of the best varieties yet introduced. It is only of medium size (1½ pounds), but is extremely prolific, very early, green flesh, slightly oblong and beautifully netted, and has a most delicious melting flavor.

GOLD LINED ROCKY FORD—(Special Hand Seeded Stock). This is a very select stock of gold lined. The ribs have been practically eliminated. The flesh is green with gold lining next the cavity. Exceptionally fine flavored and splendid shipper.

BURRELL'S NETTED GEM—Oval pink fleshed melon with very small seed cavity. Almost smooth and beautifully netted. Flesh sweet and spicy. One of the very best for shipping.

IMPROVED YELLOW CANTALOUPE—A very long melon large, pink flesh, heavily netted and ribbed. One of the largest pink fleshed sorts and very sweet and spicy. Must be eaten soon after pickling.

PAUL ROSE—It is a deliciously flavored Melon, a good cropper, and is exceptionally good for marketing; about one-third larger than Rocky Ford, a heavy yielder.

JENNY LIND—The earliest and sweetest. Small, but very desirable, yellowish-green flesh.

EARLY NUTMEG—One of the earliest; green flesh; very popular old variety.

EMERALD GEM—A small, very early, round Melon; smooth skin, emerald-green, with light stripes; salmon flesh; good flavor.

HACKENSACK, EARLY—A large, round, early Melon, deeply ribbed, flesh green, fine flavor.

Long Island Beauty—Netted and deeply ribbed.

Long Banana—A long narrow Melon, orange flesh, hardy.

MIXED ROCK MELONS—Containing ten of the best early and late varieties.

Cassabas or Winter Keeping ROCK MELON.

6d. packet.

A new class of Rock Melons, making a great reputation in U.S.A. as good keepers. Stored in a cool shed or cellar they may be kept right into the winter, thereby finding an excellent and profitable market. **They should, of course, be planted in the spring** like other Melons, and receive similar cultivation.

Honey Dew Cassaba—This has proved a very profitable, good carrying, market variety. The flesh is emerald green, very thick, melting, fine grained.

Golden Beauty—The later fruits if kept in cool store, will ripen slowly, and can be marketed right into the winter. The fruit are almost round, with yellow wrinkled skin and white, very thick flesh. Very sweet and spicy.

Winter Pineapple—The latest of all. The color is deep sea-green, mottled. Fine flavour.

MELONS, WATER.

MELON-D'EAU, Fr.

6d. packet.

For Prices by Weight see Pages 3, 4 and 5.

CULTIVATION.—The same as for Rock Melon and Cucumber.

YATES' CANNON BALL—A most delicious early round medium sized variety, and one of the best we keep for the home garden. Crisp juicy salmon flesh of a delightful sugary flavor; thin creamy colored rind, rather brittle.

COLE'S EARLY—A splendid early variety for districts with short season. It is very hardy, a sure cropper, and has a bright red sweet flesh, with very thin green rind, striped with lighter shades. Rather brittle for market.

KLECKLEY SWEETS—Dark green skin, crimson flesh, medium to large size, oval shape. Has very sweet distinctive flavor; a favorite for the home garden.

ICE CREAM (White Seeded)—A general favorite, scarlet flesh, thin rind, oblong and luscious. Very productive.

SUGAR STICK—A large oblong melon; greyish skin, with red luscious sugary flesh.

CUBAN QUEEN—One of the largest Melons grown. It is oblong in form and a general favorite; flesh red and juicy, delicious flavor, thin but tough rind; early.

TOM WATSON—A fine large dark green Melon with bright pink sweet flesh. Excellent carrying variety and one of the best for market.

MAMMOTH IRONCLAD—Large heavy oblong fruits, growing up to 2ft. long under good conditions, dark green skin, striped and mottled lighter, rind thin but tough, crisp bright red flesh.

McIVOR SUGAR—An oblong Melon, very sweet flavored, pink flesh.

SWEETHEART—A very large, oval round, bright skinned Melon of fine quality; a good keeper, excellent shipper and a good seller.

Black Spanish—Oval, dark green.

Phinney's Early—Extra early; oblong, and of fine flavor. Sure cropper, specially suitable for the cooler districts.

Hungarian Honey—One of the earliest; small, round, rich red flesh.

Dixie—Good market variety; crimson flesh. Of fine quality, a heavy cropper.

Mountain Sweet—Favorite standard variety; oval, dark green, sweet red flesh.

Florida Favorite—Oblong; of fine flavor, and a good shipper.

Kolb's Gem—A splendid market variety, carrying well but of only medium flavor. Oval round in shape.

The Boss, Rattlesnake and others.

MIXED WATER MELONS—To suit those persons who grow for domestic use only, we offer a mixed packet of the best dozen varieties.

MELONS, PRESERVING

6d. packet.

PIE (Green Seeded)—The usual variety; fruit oblong and light green in color.

CITRON (Red Seeded)—Fruit round and dark green, striped and marbled with light green.

Mango Melon or Vegetable Peach—Resembles an orange; useful for preserving, very ornamental, prolific.



ONIONS

OGNON, Fr.

See pages 3, 4 and 5 for Prices by Weight.

Our Onion Supplier are largely grown on our Tasmanian Seed Farm.

CULTIVATION.—Onions do best on a rich, adhesive, loamy soil, which should be trenched or worked at least eighteen inches deep. Light or sandy soils should be made as firm as possible by treading before the seed is sown. In the warmer districts of Australia an early sowing may be made in March, April, or May; in Queensland, March is the usual season; in colder climates, August is the best month. Sow in rows 12 inches apart. Afterwards, thin out to four or five inches apart. For autumn sowing, the Early Barletta and the Tripoli varieties, including Giant Rocca, are very suitable, as they will stand through the winter and make large Onions earlier than the spring sown ones. For early market purposes Yates' Hunter River Early, Extra Early Golden Globe and Yates' Light Skinned Spanish are excellent, while for warm crop and shipping Yates' Derwent Strain of Long Keeping Brown Spanish is the finest variety in cultivation. The great thing in Onion growing is to keep them well weeded and clean. Onions for pickling should be sown very thickly and thinned to an inch or two apart, they will then ripen into small bulbs. Silver Skin or Early Barletta are the best for this purpose. Where they are required for salad, they can be sown at any season. Onion is not a strong growing seed and is apt to fail, especially if weather be cold and wet.

BROWN SKINNED ONIONS

This type grows to best advantage in cool or temperate climates.

All 6d. packet.

FOR EARLY CROP

YATES' HUNTER RIVER EARLY, Brown Spanish — If planted in March or April in early districts, it will usually mature by November and December. It will not, however, keep like our Select Long-Keeping Spanish. Its great value is its earliness. For warm climates there is no other Brown Onion to equal this variety.

EXTRA EARLY GOLDEN GLOBE — An early, large, globe-shaped Onion, with beautiful golden skin. It is a splendid market variety, but not usually so early as the Hunter River Brown Spanish.

YATES' LIGHT SKINNED SPANISH (or Straw Colored Spanish) — A splendid early onion, preferred by some growers to all others. Its main qualities are, earliness, attractive light golden or straw color, medium to large size, thin skin, mild flavor.

Lord Howe Island — Grown at Lord Howe Island in preference to the later Onions and doubtless worthy of trial in our warmer districts. It attains a large size when well grown, but will, by sowing thickly produce splendid pickling Onions. Reddish-brown color and good flavor.

ODOURLESS ONION

A recently introduced variety distinctive for its mildness of flavor and freedom from "taint." The variety is medium in season and produces large bulbs of very excellent flavor. A variety which can be eaten raw without hesitation is a variety sure of a welcome in every home. 1/- pkt.

About 3-lbs. of seed will sow an acre drilled, or say 1½-ozs. for a rod.

"HOW TO GROW ONIONS"

Booklet will be forwarded post free to anyone applying.

"YATES
LIGHT SKINNED
SPANISH"



Photograph much reduced.

FOR MAIN CROP

BROWN SPANISH, YATES' SELECT LONG-KEEPING

— **Derwent Strain** — The best strain of market Onion grown; will keep a twelvemonth and stand transhipment anywhere. Our Long-Keeping Brown Spanish is by far the best main crop Onion grown. It is in great favor, not only in Australia, but with market growers in other parts of the world and has done more to enhance our reputation than perhaps any other seed.



BROWN SPANISH — A good strain of brown keeping Onion.

AILSA CRAIG — A very large, light brown skinned Onion, largely grown in Britain for exhibiting; notwithstanding its great size it keeps well and is mild in flavor and can be well recommended.



*Saving Seed on Yates Tasmanian Seed Farm of Our
Derwent Strain of Select Long Keeping Brown Spanish Onion*



TRIPOLI ONIONS

These are the best type for hot climates, where the ordinary varieties will not bulb. For early use, in any climate, the early varieties in this section are in great favor. They are milder in flavor. If grown thickly they make splendid pickling onions.

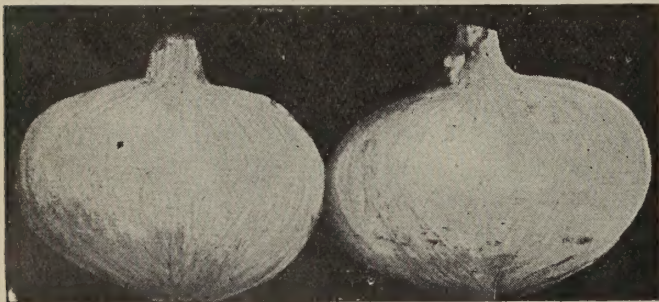
6d. packet.

EARLY VARIETIES

EARLY BARLETTA—The earliest Onion grown. A pure white silvery skin; splendid for pickling or general use. If thinned out to four inches apart and planted early will grow to a large size.

SILVER SKIN—Similar to above, can be grown to fair size, for pickling sow thickly; very early.

WHITE ITALIAN TRIPOLI—Mild in flavor and excellent for early crop. Grows to good size.



MAIN CROP VARIETIES

SILVER KING—A good flat white skinned Onion, of excellent mild flavor.

GIANT ROCCA—A large reddish-brown Tripoli. Excellent for autumn or spring sowing, but not a good keeper; one of the largest Onions grown, and one of the hardiest.

For all Prices by Weight see pages 3, 4 and 5

POTATO ONIONS, TREE ONIONS, SHALLOTS AND GARLIC BULBS

can usually be supplied during the autumn and early winter.

Potato Onions	...	1s. per lb.	} All postage extra.
Tree Onions (Tops)	...	1s. 6d. per lb.	
Tree Onions (Bottoms)	...	1s. per lb.	
Shallots	...	1s. per lb.	
Garlic	...	1s. 6d. per lb.	

All very scarce.

These prices vary with the market, which usually advances towards the end of autumn. Special rates for quantities.

OKRA.

GOMBAUD, Fr.
6d. packet.

Used for making soups. Sow in late spring, and plant out eighteen inches apart. Requires a warm climate.

PARSLEY

PERSIL, Fr.
6d. packet.

CULTIVATION—This may be sown either in the spring or autumn in finely worked soil. Sow thickly, and afterwards thin to a few inches apart. As this seed is long in germinating, the ground should not be disturbed, though the plants do not appear for some time. A packet will sow a drill of ten feet.

EXTRA CURLED—Excellent for general use.

PARSNIP

PANAIS, Fr.
6d. packet.

Grown from selected roots on our Derwentside Seed Farm.

CULTIVATION.—A deep and strong loam is the best for growing Parsnips, but they will succeed in almost any soil; that which has been manured for a previous crop produces the cleanest and best roots. The seed can be sown at any time in the spring, and, in the milder parts of the States, also in the summer and autumn. Parsnip is one of the weakest growing seeds and soon loses its vitality. It is as well to sow fairly thickly, and, if the soil is at all likely to cake, it is a good plan to cover the seed with a sprinkling of well rotted stable manure, rubbed through a coarse sieve and mixed with light sandy soil. Plant in drills a foot apart, and afterwards thin to six or eight inches between the plants. The roots are better left in the ground until wanted for use.

HOLLOW CROWN—Very select, long roots.

THE STUDENT—Large, excellent flavor.



PEANUTS

(ARACHIS HYPOGÆA) ARACHIDE, Fr.

As well as being in great demand for human consumption, the Peanut is being increasingly used as a stock fodder, especially for pigs. They will succeed best in a warm climate in light open soil. Sow in rows three feet apart and twelve to fifteen inches apart in the row. The peanut plant may be grazed, the tops made into hay or used as a soil renovator. For field crop sow 30 to 40 lbs. of nuts or say 10 lbs. of shelled seed per acre. September and October are best months to sow. When ripe, lift the plants and harvest the nuts which are produced below the ground.

We usually have in stock supplies of tested growth of the small podded local grown variety and the large podded North China Nut. Customers are asked to state their preference when ordering.

Per lb.—1s. 6d. Quantity prices on application.



POTATOES

POMME-DE-TERRE, Fr.

Tubers only.

CULTIVATION.—Should be planted for early use as soon as the frosts are over. A few may be planted rather earlier as it is worth running some risk to get early Potatoes. Open drills about 30 inches apart and six inches deep. If possible, put in this drill a layer of well rotted stable manure; a dressing of some potash manure is also very beneficial. Potatoes up to two or two-and-a-half inches should be planted whole, those larger may be cut, care being taken to leave two eyes at least on each set. Plant the tubers about twelve inches apart in the rows. As soon as through the ground, keep the soil cultivated and when plants are about six inches high, they should be earthed up by throwing the soil towards the rows.

In season we have prime graded samples (hand picked) of all the leading varieties. Write for prices. Descriptive list published July.

PUMPKINS

POTIRON, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in late spring when the ground is warm and treat the same as Cucumber, except that the hills should be eight feet apart each way. They will thrive in any good garden soil. For other varieties see Squash. Winter Squashes are practically the same as our Table Pumpkins, and are, in some cases, superior. The larger Pumpkins make the very best feed for cattle and pigs in dry districts. Sow two pounds of seed per acre.

YATES' TRIAMBLE—This has proved to be one of the best Table Pumpkins we have. It is of distinctive three cornered shape, and very thick fleshed. It is a very dry eating variety, of excellent flavor, keeps well, and is a splendid market variety.

YATES' PREMIUM IRONBARK—One of the earliest and best for private gardens, not too large and an excellent keeper and boiler; good for cool districts, as it matures quickly. Crop failed.

LARGE BUTTON (or Large Ironbark)—Boils dry, splendid flavor, excellent keeper, and carries well to market.

YATES' SELECT CROWN—The Crown is larger and later than the Premium Ironbark, and therefore it is not so suitable for cool climates. It is of excellent quality and a good keeper.

SYDNEY CROWN—For market growers, this selection of the well known Crown type will probably be found more generally suitable than some of the other varieties. It is good in color, even in shape and has a small cavity.

TURK'S CAP—A very desirable sort for districts where the seasons are short, as it is the earliest Pumpkin grown. It is a good cropper and keeper, dry and good flavored.

GRAMMA OR TROMBONE—For pigs or for cattle, Excellent for warm districts, but it will not mature in cool climates. A very sugary Pumpkin, and very fattening when fed to pigs or cattle.

MAMMOTH CATTLE—A mixture of the large cattle varieties, many weighing up to 60 and 70 lbs. grown well. They are round to long in shape and mostly grey and greyish-pink in color. Thick and fleshy. Will give a very heavy weight of crop, of great value for feeding purposes.

Mixed Cattle—For stock feeding Keeps well.

PEAS

6d. packet; post paid 10d.
except where otherwise priced

FOR BOTH MARKET GROWERS AND PRIVATE GARDENS.

We are continually testing and improving our own strains of Peas, as well as the best of the new sort, as they are introduced and we can recommend the following as constituting the best list of varieties for our local conditions.

GARDEN CULTIVATION—For a continuous supply of this favorite vegetable, sow every two to three weeks during the winter, spring, and early summer months; and in the warmer districts of Australia, where winter frosts are not experienced, they may also be grown in the autumn. They should be sown in rows, as nearly in the direction of north and south as possible, so that both sides may get the sun and the rows should be as far apart as the height the Peas grow, the taller sorts requiring more space. They should be earthed up and staked when three inches high. The dwarfier sorts, though sometimes grown without, will be benefited by a few sticks to keep them off the ground. The great thing in growing luscious Peas is to pick them just as they ripen, and to keep a succession it is best to plant a number of varieties.

PEAS FOR MARKET—When planting large areas for marketing they should be sown at the rate of about two bushels per acre in drills wide enough apart to permit of continual horse cultivation until the plants are well advanced. This cultivation conserves the moisture and in some seasons will enable growers to market a remunerative crop, when by poor farming methods it would have been a failure. During the last year or two pea growing has been very profitable, and many new growers are turning their attention to this crop. Pea growers planting unduly early or late, for the purpose of catching a high price market, do so at the risk of crop failure should the season in any way be unfavorable. It should be clearly understood that most varieties of peas will only show their true characteristics under favourable conditions of soil and season. We make all sales subject to the **Conditions of Sale and Non-Warranty**, as set out on page 2, to which attention is directed.

Where figures are given they indicate approximately the average height the variety will grow under ordinary conditions. For convenience we have listed the varieties in order of earliness as grown in our Trial Grounds. They may vary slightly under different climatic conditions.

SHORT SUPPLIES FOR 1924

In conjunction with our Auckland House we rank as the largest growers of seed peas in Australasia and in a normal season our supplies would have been more than ample for our customers' requirements.

Owing to very adverse weather conditions the pea crops generally have been practically a failure, but we have been fortunate in obtaining rather better returns than the average and are able to supply our customers this year with limited quantities of the usual varieties.

Write for list and prices of varieties available stating quantity required.

BLUE BANTAM—A very fine first early variety; of very dwarf habit, the pods are very heavy, and the peas large and of luscious flavor. It is earlier than American Wonder and the pods are double the size. One of the very best in the early section and well recommended.

YATES' UTILITY—Another extremely early dwarf variety growing 13 inches high and coming in about a week later than Yates' Hundredfold. Large, well filled, dark green, blunt ended pods, usually borne in pairs; wonderfully prolific. In our Exeter trials this has proved one of the very best market Peas, almost the whole crop being gathered in one picking. Gives a heavy crop, is easily picked, and often tops the market for price.

LITTLE MARVEL—A fine early dwarf, the dark green pods are large and well-filled; 18 inches.

YATES' HUNDREDFOLD—An extra early dwarf Pea, coming in a week before American Wonder. Large, well-filled blunt ended pods three inches long, and light green in color, containing seven or eight large peas of delicious flavor; one of the most prolific of its class; 15 inches.

WITHAM WONDER—An early dwarf, heavy cropping Pea, with large curved and pointed well-filled pods. This and other similar varieties are fast displacing the old type Little Gem and American Wonder; 15 inches.

WILLIAM HURST—Heavy cropper, coming in early and bearing slightly curved pointed pods containing six to eight peas; 12 to 15 inches.

AMERICAN WONDER (Old type)—Very early and prolific small pods, good flavor; 12 inches.

RICHARD SEDDON—A very dwarf, early and most prolific Pea, bearing well-filled straight blunt ended pods, containing seven to nine large peas of good flavor; strong, sturdy grower; 18 ins. A splendid all round variety.

ENGLISH WONDER—Dwarf, early long straight well-filled pods; 18 inches. A good cropper and a most excellent sort.

AMERICAN WONDER IMPROVED—A heavy cropping sort, producing a large number of blunt ended straight, well filled pods, which always sell well; 18 inches.

GREEN FEAST—This and Yates' Utility are proving themselves to be the two best market varieties grown in N.S.W. It is a second early dwarf variety with fine deep green haulm and bears an extremely heavy crop of long curved rather round well filled pods, which bring top market prices; 18 inches.

YATES' BOUNTIFUL—An excellent new dwarf second early variety, which produces a heavy crop of long, broad curved pods, about four inches long, containing about eight to nine large peas of excellent flavor; 18 inches.

GREATCROP—A new variety, second early, which will we think prove a good thing for garden use. Grows about three feet and carries a very heavy crop.

UNION JACK—A second early Pea of the Senator type, said to be much more suitable for our warmer districts than that variety. Union Jack has dark green large curved pointed pods, well-filled, excellent flavor; one of the most prolific varieties. Recommended for garden use; 3 ft.

THE DAISY—Splendid dwarf second early Pea; the pods are as long as and similar to Stratagem; a heavy cropper; 18 inches.

YORKSHIRE HERO—The well-known and popular market variety—the hardiest and best main crop for general use in warm districts or for summer planting; it will give heavy crops in seasons when all others fail; the pods are small, but the vines crop well and the Peas of an excellent flavor; 2 to 3 ft.

STRATAGEM (Re-selected) — Excellent cropper, pods long, flat and large, containing seven to eight peas of splendid flavor; very suitable for moist cool districts or the winter crop, either for market or home garden use; 3 ft.

ENGLISH DWARF DEFIANCE—A very prolific main crop variety; producing long well-filled, dark green pods, containing nine large, sweet peas; excellent flavor; 2 ft.

SUGAR OR EDIBLE PODDED—We offer both the tall and dwarf varieties. Per packet, 6d., post free.



RELIABLE VEGETABLE SEEDS



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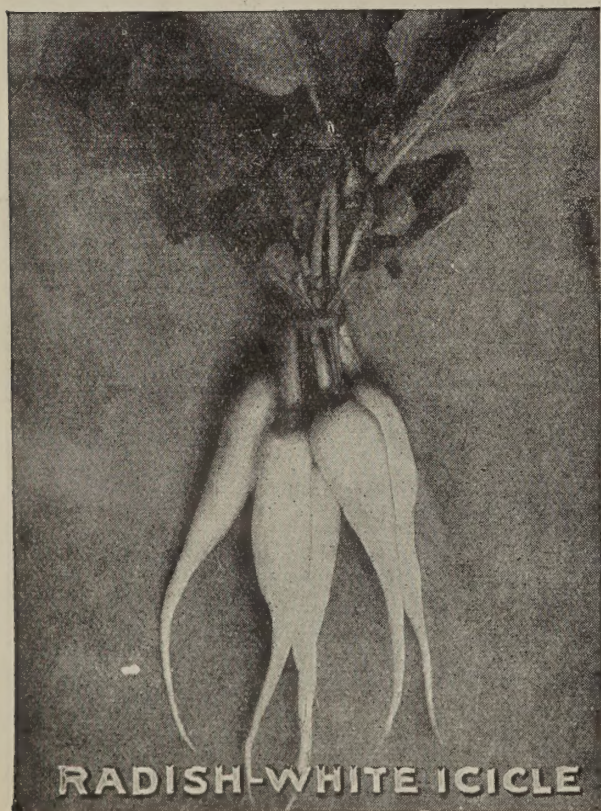
YATES' SEED CROPS of GARDEN PEAS



Inspecting Growing Crop



Stacking before Threshing



PURSLANE

POURPIER, Fr.

A fleshy leaved plant of the Portulaca Species.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION—Sow in spring and summer or in tropical climates throughout the season. This crop should be grown quickly, in light rich soil, and given plenty of water and cultivation. Sow into permanent beds in drills nine inches apart, and then thin out plants to nine inches apart. The leaves are eaten cooked or as a salad, or they can be pickled.

Golden Extra Large—This variety has very large leaves and is of compact habit.

Green—Has thick green leaves, very productive and neat habit of growth.

RADISH

RADIS, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Plant throughout the year, choosing showery genial weather. For succession, sowings may be made every three or four weeks, on good, light, well-manured soil. To have good, tender, crisp-eating Radishes, they must be grown quickly and liberally watered during dry weather.

Leading sorts are grown on our Derwentside Seed Farm.

LONG SCARLET—The favorite market variety, long and good flavor.

FRENCH BREAKFAST—Oval in shape, bright red with white tip, very early.

RED TURNIP—Round or flat round in shape, bright color, crisp white flesh.

WHITE TURNIP—Of splendid shape and flavor, pure white.

SCARLET TURNIP, WHITE TIPPED—Globe shaped, bright rose-carminé roots, bottom and tip clear white, early.

MIXED TURNIP—White and red mixed.

White Chinese—Large white roots, cylindrical in shape, white flesh, mild flavor.

Long White Icicle—Roots long and slender, pure white, exceedingly crisp and tender. This radish is noted for the way it retains its fine qualities even when fully developed.

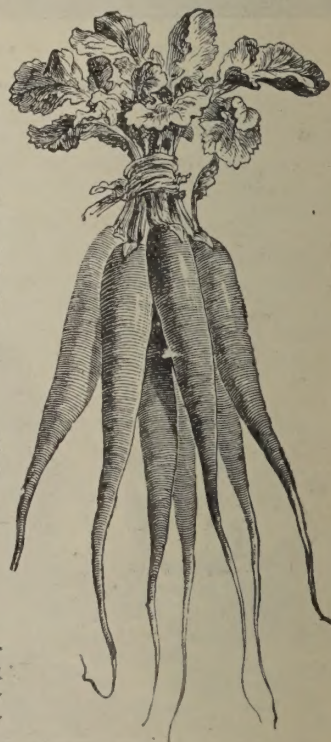
Rose, Olive Shaped—Oval in shape, effective color.

Long Black Spanish—Very large cylindrical black roots, firm white flesh, late in maturing and keep well. Grown for winter use.

ROSELLA

6d. packet

Only suitable for semi-tropical or tropical climates. The celebrated Rosella Jam is made from the fleshy calyx of the flowers. Sow in early spring in a warm situation.



Long Scarlet Radish



RHUBARB.

RHUBARBE, Fr.

CULTIVATION.—Sow in spring, and, when in rough leaf, prick out in nursery rows six or eight inches apart. Afterwards, select the most promising of the seedlings, and plant three or four feet apart in the permanent bed, which must be well manured.

CHERRY RED—A fine sort; producing an abundance of rich cherry colored stems of excellent flavor. Roots only. 1s. 6d. each, 15s. dozen.

TOPPS' WINTER—A variety bearing the heaviest crop in the early winter, but can be pulled all the year round. Both this and the next variety are strongly recommended for the home garden. Seed scarce. 6d. packet. Roots 5s. to 10s. per dozen.

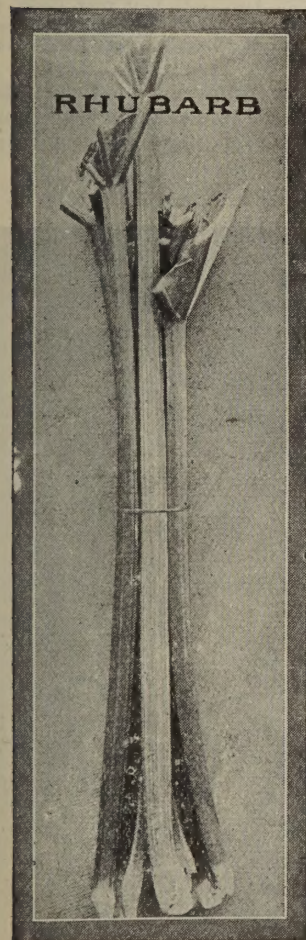
SYDNEY CRIMSON—Similar to Topp's Winter. This variety is extensively grown by Sydney market gardeners, and like Topp's Winter, is a splendid all the year round sort. Seed 6d. packet, Roots 5s. to 10s. per dozen.

VICTORIA GIANT—The largest and best for summer use, dies down in winter months. Seed 6d. packet, Roots 5s. to 10s. per dozen.

We can supply **Roots of these varieties** during the winter season only, prices vary according to size of roots. All postage or freight extra.

YATES' RELIABLE SEEDS SATISFY—Not once in a while — but ALWAYS.

Mrs. G. A. —, Birriwa, Mudgee Line. Aug. 10th, 1923
I may mention I have been growing Yates' Seeds and Plants for 37 years, (THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS), I always get satisfaction from them.



SALSIFY or Vegetable Oyster

SALSIFIS BLANC, Fr.

6d. packet

A most delicious vegetable, which is not grown to the extent it deserves. The cultivation is similar to that of the Parsnip. When full grown the roots should be boiled till tender, and served up with melted butter; they have a pronounced oyster flavor.

Mammoth Sandwich Island
—An improved variety.

SCORZONERA

SCORSONERE NOIR, Fr.

6d. packet

A very similar root vegetable to Salsify, only the skin is black. It is perennial, and the roots may be used when two years old. The leaves may be also used as salad.

SEA KALE.

CRAMBE MARITIME, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION—This vegetable is considered a very great delicacy but it is only suitable for cold climates, and even then requires two to three years to bring the roots to the size at which they may be forced for use. They should be sown in spring (soak seed overnight in water to soften seed case) in a nursery bed, and the following season transplanted into very rich well manured ground, in clumps of three or four plants four inches apart, and three feet between the clumps. Keep well watered in dry weather to keep them growing, and when the plants are sufficiently strong, they may be forced in the spring by placing a box over each clump after covering them with hot stable manure mixed with leaves. The young, tender, blanched shoots make a delicious vegetable.

Sea Kale Beet—See under Beetroot.

SPINACH.

EPINARD, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION—This useful crop may be sown in the spring, but does best in the autumn, and for succession should be planted at intervals of two or three weeks. The seed should be sown in drills in good rich soil (the richer the better), and for summer crops should have abundance of moisture.

PRICKLY SEEDED—Bright green large arrow pointed leaves, very hardy and especially suited for winter use.

ROUND SEEDED—A good variety for summer use, broad somewhat crimped leaves, very productive.

Monstrous Viroflay—A very large vigorous growing sort; in well manured land this is extremely productive.

New Zealand—Quite distinct from any of the preceding and of great value for use during the hottest months, and for growing in dry arid localities where the ordinary Spinach does not succeed. The leaves and stems are soft and fleshy. By picking off the young leaves and tender stems and adding the minimum of water for cooking, delicious Spinach may be had throughout the hottest weather. Soak seed in hot water before sowing.

For **Spinach Beet** see under Beetroot.



Spinach: Prickly Seeded

Home-Grown Vegetables are Best — but Sow GOOD SEEDS.



SQUASH COURGE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—This vegetable, which is most extensively grown in the United States, should receive the same treatment as the Pumpkin and Vegetable Marrow. It is a delicious vegetable and should be extensively grown. The Summer Varieties are very similar to Vegetable Marrows. The Winter Varieties mature later and may be stored like our pumpkins.

See also **Vegetable Marrow**, page 32.

SUMMER VARIETIES

These are similar to Vegetable Marrows.

EARLY WHITE BUSH—Very similar to Custard Marrow. The vine does not run. Splendid early sort.

Early Golden Bush—Deep yellow, otherwise similar to above.

Perfect Gem—Small, round, white fruit, may be used for summer or winter; keeps well.

Crookneck—Rich golden-yellow, excellent flavor.

FINEST MIXED—A mixture of above varieties.

WINTER VARIETIES

These should be sown in the early spring, the same as the others, but they are later in maturing, and will keep all through the winter, like Pumpkins.

HUBBARD—Excellent keeper, sweet and dry. It is as good as our best Pumpkins.

Warted Hubbard—Boils dry and mealy.

Golden Hubbard—This is a little smaller than the ordinary Hubbard, but is greatly favoured on account of its earliness, cropping and keeping qualities.

Marblehead—A splendid keeping variety and cooks like a "dry" Pumpkin.

Boston Marrow—Thin skin, dry sweet flesh.

Turban—An old favorite.

Delicata—May be used for summer or winter use; an excellent keeper and splendid flavor.

Fordhook—Medium size and heavy cropper. Can be used either as a winter or summer Squash.

FINEST MIXED—Desirable keeping sorts.

SWEET CORN OR MAIZE

MAIS SUCRE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Plant in spring when all danger from frost is over in rows three feet apart, and thin to a foot between the plants.

HOW TO USE IT.

The cobs should be cooked while in their green state, and are ready for use as soon as the tassel is withered. To cook, plunge the cobs into boiling water for five minutes, serve up with butter and pepper to taste. This vegetable should be made to take the place of Peas during our hot summer season.

GOLDEN BANTAM—One of the earliest and also one of the best flavored Corns yet raised; good also for successional sowings for main crop.

Early Crosby—Extra early, grows about 4ft.

Early Cory—Splendid early sort.

Peep o' Day—A very early variety.

COUNTRY GENTLEMEN—Best for main planting, cobs large and white.

Stowell's Evergreen—Best late variety, fine quality cobs.

FINE MIXED—A mixture of early and late sorts.

Pop Corn—For roasting when ripe.

SILVERMINE MAIZE—Some of the growers for market use this variety of Maize for 'Table Corn'. We can usually supply this variety in season and suggest a trial for this purpose.

SWEET POTATO

PATATE, Fr.

CULTIVATION.—The best way to procure these is by ordering rooted plants, which go readily by post, and which are usually obtainable at a few days' notice any time during the late spring and early summer. These should be planted out in ridges two-and-a-half feet apart, in land which has previously been deeply trenched and well fertilized with a good phosphate manure. They are generally ready for digging in about four months from planting.

About November we can usually supply several varieties with white, pink, or red skins. 1s. dozen, postage and packing, 6d. extra; 7s. 6d. 100, postage and packing, 1s. extra.



SWEET CORN



TOMATO TOMATE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Tomatoes should be sown in a hot-bed early in spring, or in the open air when danger from frost is over, and when the plants are large enough plant out in a warm border, which should be well enriched with good rotten manure. They may be allowed to run on the ground, but if grown against a wall or trellis work, the larger crop will repay the trouble. After the first fruit have set, check the growth of the plants by pinching off the ends of the shoots. Liquid manure during the growing season will be found very beneficial.

NINE VARIETIES

— Specially Suitable for Market Growing. —

SUPERIOR FRUIT, HEAVY CROPS, HARDY

YATES' HARBINGER—First early—A magnificent variety, which can be recommended in every way, especially for early crop for market or for home use. Fruit is smooth, of large size good color, and of splendid flavor. Growers should certainly make a planting of this very excellent variety.

CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL—A first early sort of extra fine quality. The fruit is of good market size, smooth shape, solid, and bright red color, and of remarkably sweet flavor. Bears well throughout the season.

YATES' MARKET FAVORITE—Well known on account of its hardiness and earliness, fruit is large, slightly ribbed, and produced in great profusion, and is solid, juicy and of good flavor. One of the hardiest varieties we keep, and it will often perfect its fruit in adverse seasons when all other sorts are badly affected. Specially recommended for cold climates. On account of its fine color this is perhaps the very best sort for making sauces, soups, etc.

EARLIANA—Another extra early sort, in great favor with market growers. The vine is more compact than other varieties, but carries very heavy crops of large smooth bright scarlet Tomatoes.

JUNE PINK—An early maturing selection from Earliana, and differing chiefly from that variety in the color, which is a purplish pink. The fruit is uniform in size and shape, and the flesh solid.

BURWOOD PRIZE—Probably the most favored main crop variety ever grown in this country. It is one of the hardiest and most vigorous varieties we know of, and will give enormous crops of smooth oval fruit of fine color and texture, which are very solid and splendid carriers. Juicy, good flavored, and fine size and shape.

TARGINNIE BLUE—This variety is largely grown in the Gladstone district of Central Queensland. It is a main crop, bluish crimson in color and a splendid carrier and good shipper.

MATCHLESS—A late variety giving the greatest satisfaction to market growers near Sydney. The fruit is large, smooth and uniform, bright color, and of excellent flavor. The yield is very heavy and they carry well. Like the other varieties on this page the fruit will color up splendidly after picking.

STONE—This is the Smooth Large Red Strain and is very solid and a good carrier. We can recommend this very highly. It is considered by market growers to be one of the very best late varieties for market, and is largely grown to come in after Burwood Prize. The fruit is of the finest quality.



YATES' BURWOOD PRIZE

NEW INTRODUCTIONS

Four "Wilt Resistant" Varieties

The ravages of "Wilt" are becoming so serious to growers in many of our districts, as in other parts of the world, that it would seem the development of "disease-resistant" sorts is the only way out. We have pleasure in listing the following varieties which have been evolved by the United States Dept., of Agriculture, and we suggest our market growers make small trials alongside other varieties, especially where the "Wilt" has been prevalent.

It is not claimed that these varieties are disease proof, but it is believed that they contain a certain amount of "resistance" to the disease and it is probably this quality perhaps, when more fully developed, which will finally rout the dreaded "Wilt." We would greatly appreciate reports from growers after trying them.

**Each 9d. packet, or Special
Collection, one packet, each
variety, 2/6 post free.**

Norduke—This variety has made a reputation in the west coast of Mexico, where the "Wilt" conditions are very bad. Mid season, smooth red fruits,

Marvel—In season and type it approximates to some extent to Chalk's Early Jewel. Good for home garden.

Columbia—Main crop, a very productive large smooth variety, of good color.

Nortan—A late round, large, solid and smooth, color deep red, a selection from Stone.



TOMATO—

OTHER GOOD SORTS

Per packet 6d.

For Prices by weight, see Pages 3, 4, and 5.

Carter's Sunrise—An English-raised variety of considerable merit. It is early, very prolific, has a robust constitution, and produces solid fruit of remarkable evenness of bright scarlet color and splendid flavor.

Yates' Early Smooth Red—As early as Market Favorite, but smooth skin, being free from ribs, medium size; excellent for market.

Early Ruby—Bright red, and extremely early. Heavy crop.

Early Michigan—The fruits are of medium size, very smooth of very attractive crimson; scarlet color, and fine quality, a vigorous grower and productive, a second early sort.

Atlantic Prize—One of the very earliest; smooth skin bright red, and of good size.

Walker's Recruit—(Yates' Selected Seed)—A very round smooth, light red, medium sized fruit, firm flesh delicious flavor, and a very prolific bearer.

Livingstone's Perfection—A fine large red smooth variety of superior quality, and handsome appearance, second early.

Trucker's Favorite—One of the finest large fruited, purplish red variety, regular in size, and very solid and good flavored; very vigorous grower and hardy.

Mikado—Fruit very large, purplish-red, and produced in large quantities; fairly early.

Dwarf Champion—Sturdy upright growth, carrying its fruit without support; fruit medium size, medium early and prolific.

Buckeye State—A good main crop variety, which keeps and carries well. Purplish-red color.

Crimson Cushion—A scarlet "Sport" from Ponderosa, resembling that variety in size and weight of crop, Very solid even after cooking and of delicious flavor.

Ponderosa—This variety has been greatly improved. While not quite smooth and even in shape much of the old "ribbiness" has been eliminated. It grows to enormous size, probably the largest fruited sort grown. In season it is a late main crop. The fruit is luscious, very solid, and of specially good flavor. Purplish-red color, very heavy cropper.

Yates' Selected Trophy—Late. Saved on our own farm; a choice variety. The fruit is large, smooth, and bright red in color. One of the heaviest croppers, and very solid

Trophy—American saved seed.

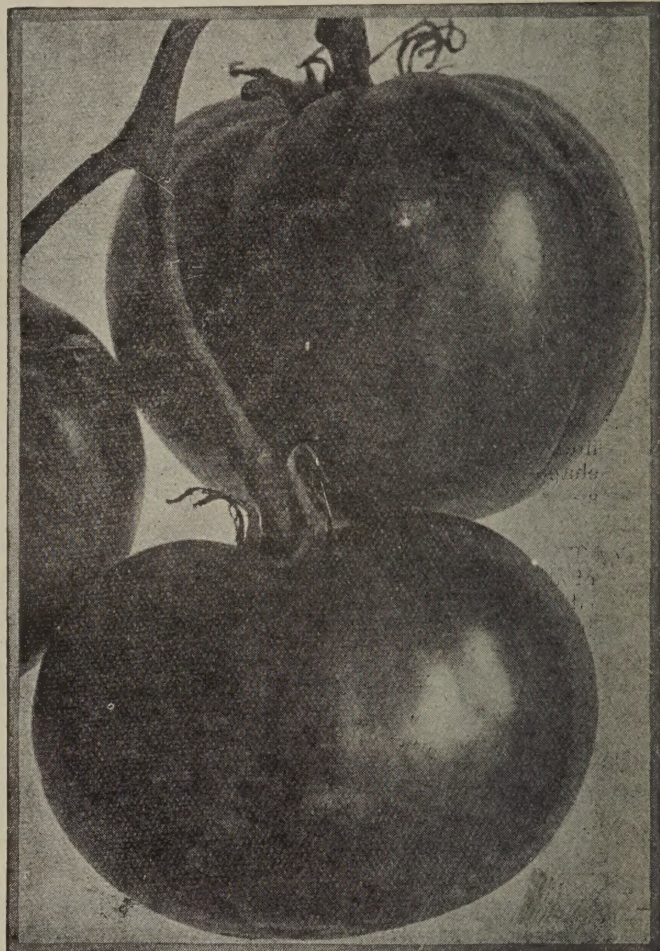
Yellow Fruited Varieties.

Golden Ponderosa—A very large yellow tomato yielding enormous crops of beautiful luscious fruit. Makes a delightful salad.

Golden Queen—A valuable yellow variety, contrasting well with the red in salads; medium size, smooth skin.

"TOMATO GROWING FOR PROFIT"

A most useful Booklet on the growing of Tomatoes for Market and Home Gardens, post free on request.



Tomato: Chalk's Early Jewel.

TOMATO—English Varieties

We grow this seed in Tasmania especially for our English firm, and we recommend growers in Tasmania or Southern New Zealand and similar cold climates to give these varieties a trial. Some are also grown for winter crops in tropical climates.

COLLECTION—One packet each of the five varieties for 2s. post free.

Kondine Red.

Reynolds' No. 2.

Money Maker.

Holmes' Supreme

Ailsa Craig

Bides Recruit.

Balchs Fillbasket.

TOMATO, TREE

(CYPHOMANDRA)

Sub-tropical shrub; fruit resembles the Tomato. 1s. packet

SEE NOTE IN REFERENCE TO VARIETIES ON PAGE 7

There are now a very large number of varieties of Tomatoes in commerce. For customers convenience we have listed a selection of sorts which in our experience have proved "good doers" under Australian conditions and is representative of all the best yet introduced. Tomatoes require favorable conditions of soil and season to show true characteristics. Attention is directed to

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND NON-WARRANTY on page 2.



TURNIP

NAVET, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—Turnips, to be tender and good flavored, must be grown quickly, so should have a rich soil and an open situation. The seed should be sown very thinly, and the plants thinned out to proper distances apart when young. They may be sown nearly the whole year, choosing rainy weather during the summer months; they should be kept moist in dry weather. The best time to sow Swedes is in late spring, summer, and autumn.

LONG WHITE (Yates' Warm Climate Turnip)—A long cylindrical Turnip, the most suitable for the warmer parts of this country, as it is a quick grower and does not run to seed so readily as other sorts.

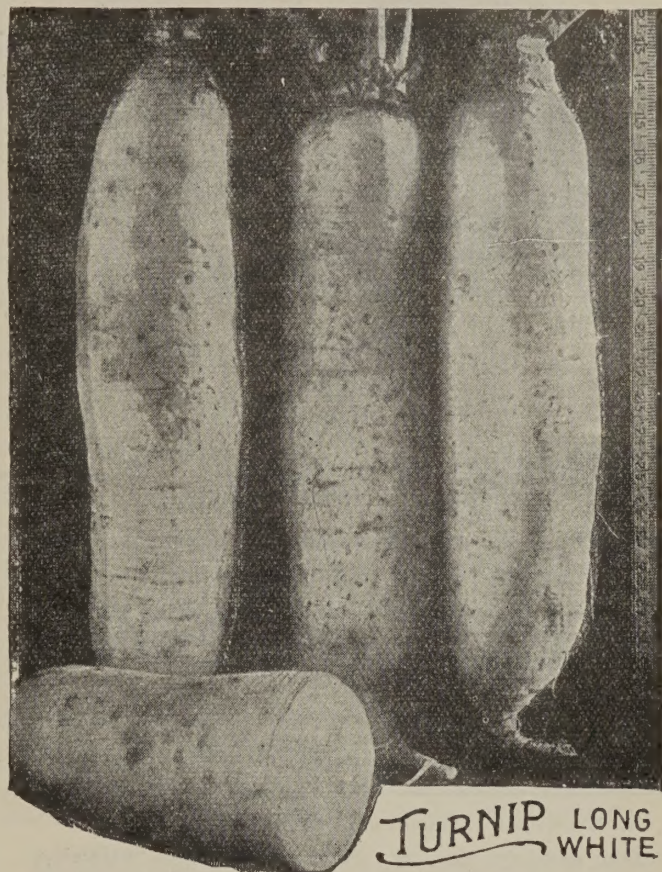
PURPLE TOP MUNICH—Remarkably early, flat in shape, and pure white, with dark purple top.

WHITE STONE (also known as Snowball and Early Six Weeks)—Good early variety, one of the best; round pure white roots.

NEPAUL (or White Strapleaf)—Early flat variety; the favorite in the Sydney market; very firm, snow-white flesh.

RED TOP STONE (or American Strapleaf)—White, with pink top; excellent, later than previous varieties.

ORANGE JELLY (or Golden Ball)—A very fine globe-shaped variety, with rich orange-colored skin. The flesh is pale yellow, firm, and of fine quality. It is late, hardy variety, standing well through the winter.



TURNIP LONG WHITE

Field Turnip.

6d. packet.

Valuable for providing stock feed in the winter and early spring months. They are quick growers, especially the White Fleshed sorts. Sow late summer and autumn.

Prices by Weight on application.

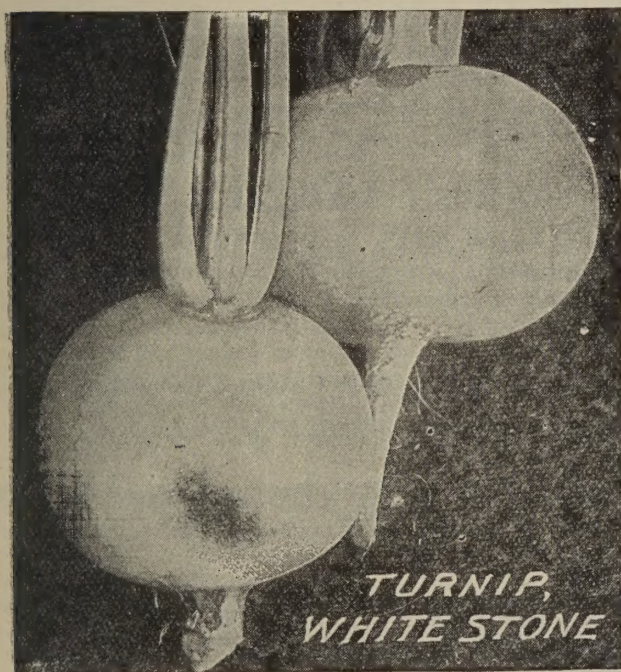
We usually stock:—

White Fleshed Sorts.

IMPERIAL GREEN GLOBE
POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE
DEVONSHIRE GREYSTONE
PURPLE TOP MAMMOTH

Yellow Fleshed Varieties

PURPLE TOP ABERDEEN
GREEN TOP ABERDEEN



TURNIP, WHITE STONE

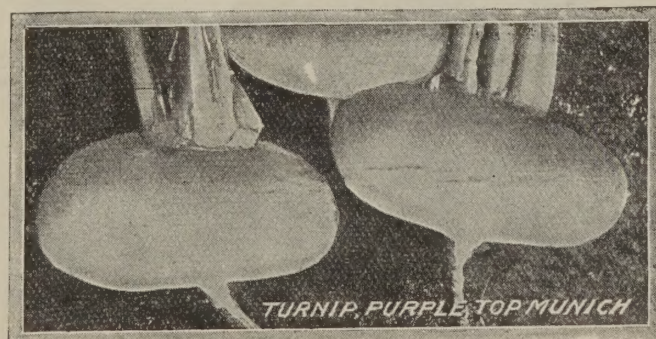
Swede Turnip

CHOU-NAVET, Fr.

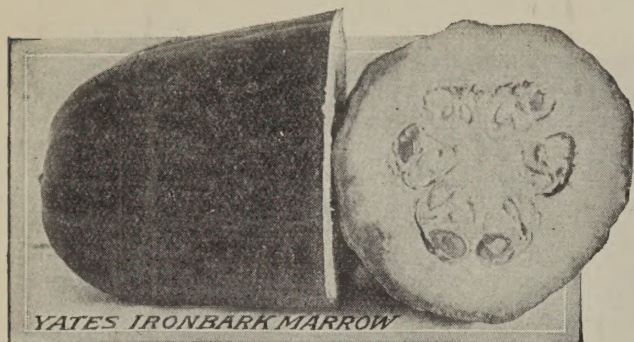
YATES' GARDEN SWEDE—The best Swede for garden cultivation. Sow in summer and autumn.

YATES' CHAMPION PURPLE TOP—A standard globe-shaped variety, which gives wonderful returns and is the standard sort for growing for market. Our strains are unexcelled, the crop comes in evenly and the Swedes are well shaped, large and keep well.

YATES' MONARCH—A large tankard-shaped variety, with purple top. Heavy yielder and a good keeper. Excellent for stock or market growing.



TURNIP, PURPLE TOP MUNICH



TOBACCO

TABAC, Fr.

6d. packet

CULTIVATION.—Sow when frosts are over, or in a hot bed in early spring, and, when large enough and the weather mild, transplant into the open. Will not stand frost.

About one ounce will raise sufficient plants for an acre.
We keep all the leading varieties, including:

Connecticut, Blue Pryor, Yellow Pryor, Virginia One Sucker, Hester Improved, Havana, Oronoka White Stem, White Burley, etc., all imported American-saved seed.

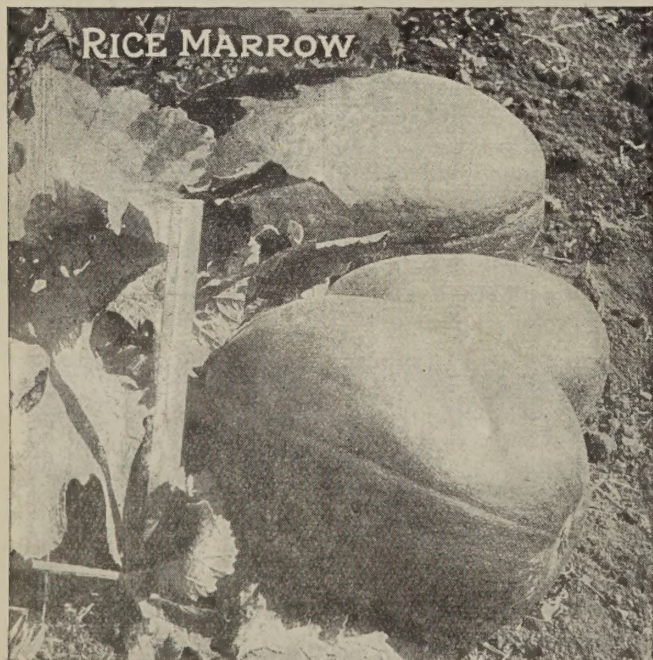
YATES' RELIABLE SEEDS ARE THE PROVEN BEST.

Mr. N. W.———, Namatanai, via Rabaul.

Your seeds are the best I have received from Australia. After 20 years experience with vegetable growing in the Islands I have tried seeds from many Australian Firms with very little success, but rely absolutely on your goods.

Mr. J. J. M.———, Cottesloe Beach, W.A. 18/4/23

I find by planting your seeds I get the very best results; have tried other seeds but am not at all satisfied with them.



VEGETABLE MARROW

COURGE, Fr.

6d. packet.

CULTIVATION.—To grow Vegetable Marrows successfully, follow the instructions that are given for Cucumber and Pumpkin. Sow when frosts are over in spring.

See also SQUASH, many of which are similar to Marrows.

TRAILING VARIETIES OF MARROW.

YATES' IRONBARK MARROW—This is of true marrow shape, and can be used green like any other Marrow, but, if allowed to ripen, will keep all through the winter, and will cook as dry and as well as the best Pumpkin, and is of excellent flavor. (Crop failed).

KUMI-KUMI—Somewhat after the type of Yates' Ironbark. Of large size and largely used by the N.Z. Maoris for winter use.

LONG CREAM—Up to fifteen inches or more long, cream color and of splendid flavor, heavy yielder.

LONG GREEN—Green with lighter markings, a "dry" Marrow, excellent flavor.

RICE MARROW—A variety which can be strongly recommended. Fruit is thick set, hard dark green skin and heavy cropper. When boiled the flesh tends to separate like grains of rice. It is dry and a grand table sort. By some it is preferred to all other sorts. (Crop uncertain.)

BUSH VARIETIES.

Those with limited garden space are strongly advised to plant only the Bush varieties. The plants are compact, do not run, and produce a large number of fine fruit close to main stem.

LONG WHITE BUSH—Heavy cropper, splendid sort.

LONG GREEN BUSH—Compact, good flavor.

CUSTARD MARROW—Round scalloped shaped fruit of golden-yellow color, medium size, good flavor.



WE have only space in this Garden Seed Annual to draw attention to our High-grade Recleaned and Tested Agricultural Seeds. We publish each Autumn and Spring a full descriptive catalogue of seasonable lines, and these should be in the hands of all farmers, graziers, and others engaged in this Primary Industry.

With Agricultural Seeds quality (comprising growth, purity and strain) is of paramount importance, as it represents the difference, very often, between profit and loss. Every progressive farmer recognises this, as evidenced by the fact that every year the demand for our high-grade farm seeds is greater than any preceding year.

The home of Yates' Recleaned and Tested Farm Seeds is the largest and most completely fitted warehouse in Australia and we have built up and continually improved what is now probably the finest Seed Cleaning Plant South of the Line.

PRICES ON APPLICATION, also SAMPLES for COMPARISON IF REQUESTED.

SEED GRAIN—The sale of Recleaned and Tested Seed Grain is a speciality with us and there are two main classes of customers to whom the superior samples sent out by us always appeal. First, there is the man who wishes to grow for grain or seed. By careful fallowing, and full and thorough preparation of his land, he reduces the chances of a weedy and dirty crop to a minimum. He then orders from us, knowing that with our care and knowledge in the selection of samples, and with the facilities afforded by our extensive and up-to-date Seed Cleaning Plant, that the samples will be as free as possible of all impurities, weed seeds, broken seeds, etc., and, what is more that practically every grain will produce a strong well-nourished plant resulting in a heavy even crop of pure seed. Secondly, there is the green fodder man; it is with him and his progressive brother farmers that our greatest trade in Recleaned Seed Grain lies. He has found by experience that "a bag of oats" purchased from a store will not provide anything like the same quantity or quality of first grade green fodder, free of weeds and objectionable growth, as will a bag of "Yates' A.Y. Extra Prime Remachined Algerians," which can be obtained in sealed bags through the Yates' Agent in his own town. Furthermore, in a trying season, when drought conditions prevail at sowing time, he has found that the full, plump heavy grade seed of our samples produces vigorous sturdy plants which hang on longer and withstand adverse conditions better than the weakly plants, produced by the thin pinched grain found in ordinary samples. The expense of preparation of and of sowing is the same, whether good or poor seed is used. Consider then the real economy of paying a few pence per bushel more for the far greater value crop obtained. We regularly stock all the leading varieties of Oats, Wheat, Barley, Ryecorn, Tares, Field Peas, and willingly submit samples for those who will compare quality as well as price.

MAIZE, SORGHUMS, SUDAN, MILLETS

These four lines cover the greater part of the summer fodder requirements of our farmers. In each case we are well equipped to offer the best samples. We exercise great care in the selection of samples and procure from districts where strains and types are as far as possible uniform and correct. For dairymen Maize provides most excellent green fodder, as well as grain of the highest feeding value. In the Sorghums we have Saccaline, Planters Friend, Ambercane and Black Sorghum. For our coastal districts Saccaline and Planters Friend are favorites, the preference being for Saccaline. In the colder districts Ambercane and Black Sorghum will give best results, as they are of quicker growth and can do with rather less rainfall. Sudan Grass has become of very great importance and indeed for summer fodder there are few if any crops to equal this, which has been aptly named "The Wonder Crop," on account of the large number of cuts and its heavy yields, in all forms of grazing, hay, ensilage, etc. Millets are quick growers and are largely used as catch crops. Japanese Millet is much favored for this.

GRASSES—On our coast and tablelands the question of pasture grasses, their use and treatment, is becoming increasingly important. Where there is good and fairly regular rainfall the improvement of pastures becomes of vital interest. Pasture Grasses, like all other crops, require feeding and we think that the practice of top dressing the paddocks every year or two with superphosphate, will result in great benefit. The grasses which succeed best under our conditions include Perennial Rye Grass, Italian Rye Grass, Cocksfoot, Prairie, Phalaris bulbosa, Wallaby Grass (Danthonia), Rhodes Grass, Couch Grass, Paspalum dilatatum. The Fescues also have a value, also the Poas, especially the *Poa pratensis* (Kentucky Blue Grass). Once the comparatively well-watered coast and tableland country is left, the range of pasture grasses is narrowed down very considerably, in fact, it may be taken as correct that no introduced grasses will prove anything like as satisfactory as the native grasses. All pastures should be spelled at intervals, to allow the finer and more palatable grasses to recuperate and to re-seed themselves down. This re-seeding is specially necessary with the native grasses.

CLOVERS—These are included in a wonderful family of plants that do more for the Agriculturist than almost any other. In addition to the fodder value of the green-stuff or hay, the Clovers are wonderful soil renovators and leave the soil in a very much more fertile condition than it was before; as green manure Clovers are invaluable. The main varieties to which we wish to direct attention in these notes are White Clover, Perennial Red or Cow Grass Clover, Incarnatum, Alsike, Subterranean, Berseem and Bokhara Clovers. There are other varieties stocked by us but the above fulfil most of the requirements of Australian farmers. For including in pastures, White Clover, English Wild White Clover, and especially Subterranean Clover, are recommended. For hay and for growing with grain crop we suggest Perennial Red or Cow Grass, Incarnatum and Berseem as likely to give the best results. For green manuring Berseem, Incarnatum and Bokhara give excellent results particularly planted in orchards between rows of trees. The clover that is attracting the most attention at the present time is undoubtedly Subterranean Clover. We think this is destined to become one of our greatest economic plants and we would recommend inclusion of this in all pastures.

SUNDRY FODDER CROPS—Among important crops, not yet referred to in these short notes are Yates' Broadleaf Sowing Rape (which is much used for sheep), Mustard, Sheeps Burnet and Root Crops.

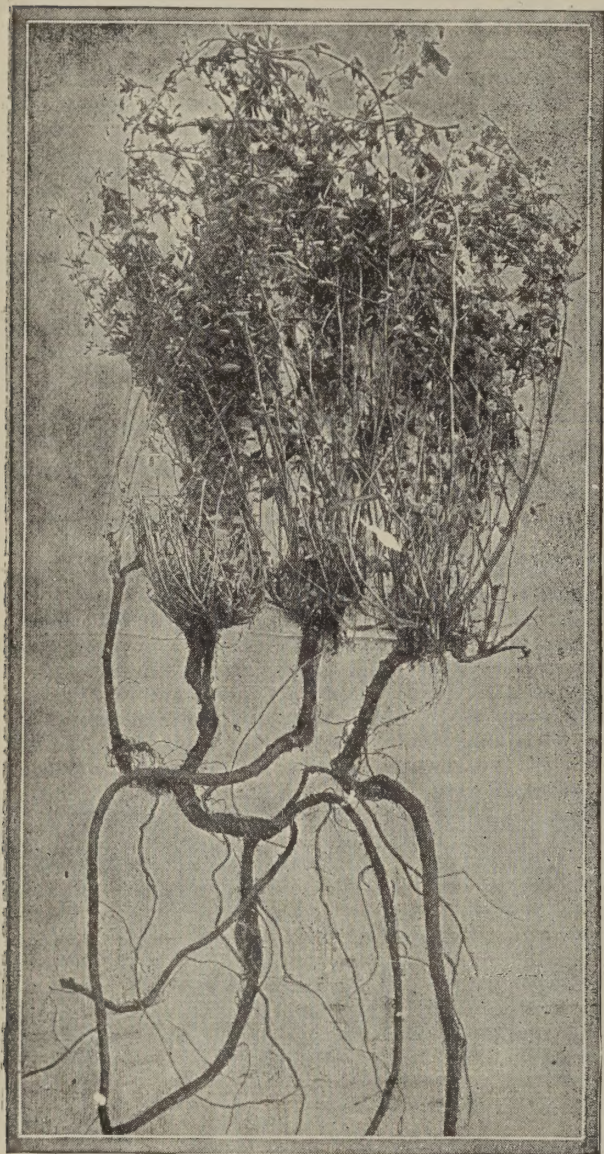
CANARY SEED—This is a crop which might profitably be grown more, not only for the seed, but for the green fodder which by some is recommended as a crop as good as Barley.

All particulars of Fodder and Grazing Crops will be found in Yates' Spring Fodder List, so register your name now for copy.

LUCERNE

THE KING OF FODDER CROPS

"The crop that gives a continual harvest without an annual ploughing or seeding."



YATES' ^{BROADLEAF} ^{AY} ^{GIANT-UPRIGHT} LUCERNE

A LONG STANDING DROUGHT-RESISTING STRAIN, PROVED BEST FOR AUSTRALIAN CONDITIONS.

Note vigorous crowns and deep rooting system (illustration shows part only).

F. A. H——, Tarrabandra, Gundagai, 27-6-22.

"Your A.Y. Giant Upright Lucerne seed which was sown 20-8-21 germinated splendidly and although in its early stages had a most severe time on account of hot, dry weather, is doing remarkably well."

Write for YATES' BOOKLET ON LUCERNE GROWING It will give you much information.

Post Free

Lambs off shear grazing on YATES' ^{BROADLEAF} ^{AY} ^{GIANT-UPRIGHT} LUCERNE in a Western Slopes district of N.S.W.



A heavy crop of YATES' ^{BROADLEAF} ^{AY} ^{GIANT-UPRIGHT} LUCERNE on a granite hill in the Southern coastal district of N.S.W.

YEAR by year this King of Fodder Crops is proving its adaptability to varying situations, soils and climates. At one time it was thought that it would be a sheer waste of seed to sow anywhere but on choice alluvial flats; but now we find Lucerne extensively grown on ordinary good agricultural land and even on hilly upland country. Of course it is not suggested that such heavy growths or so many cuts in the season occur on the hilly land as are produced on typical Lucerne flats, but even where Lucerne does only moderately well there is no other crop to compare with it.

Many of our costal dairying districts are capable of growing good Lucerne.

Its great value for milk production, for hay crop, for grazing and for poultry, makes Lucerne of almost universal interest, and it is worth while for every farmer to find out for himself if Lucerne will succeed on part of his holding.

The point we would emphasise here is that the "range of adaptability" of Lucerne, once considered limited, has now been proved to include soils and conditions ranging from rich alluvial flats—where one may reckon on five, six, or even more cuts per annum for ten years or so—to any reasonably deep good agricultural land with a rainfall of say 20 inches or over, where good "grazing" Lucerne can be successfully grown, giving the land a much heavier carrying capacity and a wonderfully quick "shoot" after rain. Lime, either naturally in the soil, or by periodical application to the land, is essential to Lucerne and a dressing of superphosphate applied once a year is good practice.

We have prepared a small "Booklet on Lucerne Growing," post free to anyone interested.—Write us.



YATES' BROADLEAF A.Y. GIANT-UPRIGHT LUCERNE

The photograph reproduced herewith shows a fine stand of

YATES' BROADLEAF A.Y. GIANT-UPRIGHT LUCERNE

on a dairy farm on the Southern highlands of N.S.W. This Lucerne is on a basalt upland knoll, and has been in now for eight years, giving regular periods of grazing to the dairy herd during the whole of that time.

Bannockburn, Vic., Dec. 28, 1923.

We are living on Moorabool River Flats, and at present have some fine Lucerne, all grown from your seeds, which we obtained from Mr. Harry Hooper, Geelong.

One crop in particular grown by us was very satisfactory. In 6 weeks (exactly) it grew 36 inches without irrigation—just under ordinary conditions. I will send you a photograph.



YATES' BROADLEAF A.Y. GIANT-UPRIGHT LUCERNE

YATES' BROADLEAF A.Y. GIANT-UPRIGHT LUCERNE in sealed bags is re-machined and tested seed of a superior extra prime quality type of N.S.W. grown Lucerne, which is saved on selected farms in those districts in which owing to special natural conditions, there has been evolved a long standing drought resisting strain, which has proved itself for Australian conditions.

Most of these farms have supplied the seed crop to us, for many years past, and we know that it is of the true Broadcast Giant Upright pedigree.

YATES' BROADLEAF A.Y. GIANT-UPRIGHT LUCERNE is supplied through our country agents in 25 lbs. and 50 lbs. net sealed bags, printed with our own brand, or will be supplied direct to farmers in whatever quantities required. Growers should exercise caution, and accept only packages closed with our metal seal, and branded as above.

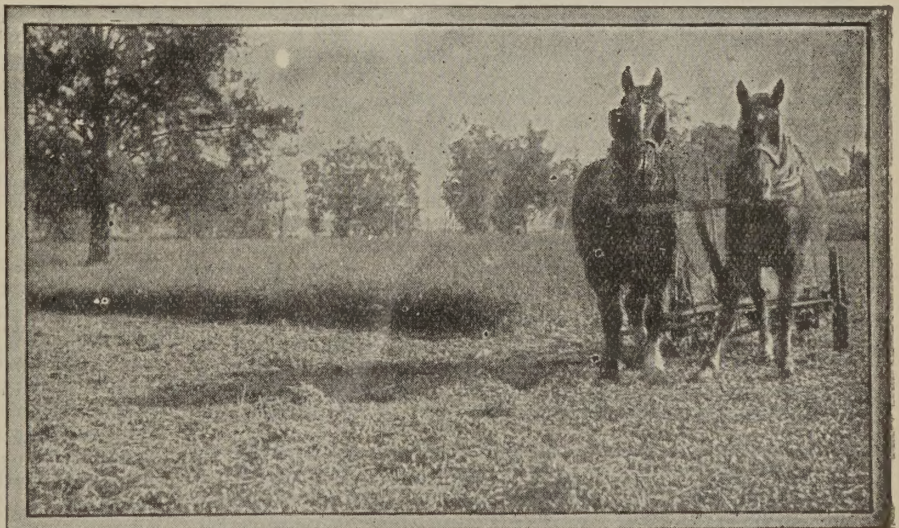
WRITE FOR PRICES, STATING QUANTITY REQUIRED.

Sixteen to twenty pounds per acre is a fair sowing for good situations with a moist subsoil if sown broadcast; or ten to twelve pounds if drilled. In dry areas as low as six pounds is found sufficient.

For those customers to whom the slight extra price of the above high grade Lucerne is a big consideration, we also offer and can recommend

Yates' Re-sieved Broadleaf Hunter River Lucerne.

Although not usually so prime a sample as the above, this is much superior in purity and strength of growth to the Hunter River Lucerne usually sold, and is undoubtedly better suited to our climatic conditions than any imported Lucerne. It is thoroughly re-cleaned and of tested growth. Every sack sent out is branded with our name and sealed; and growers should look to this when taking delivery. Prices on application.



A typical stand of cutting Lucerne on rich alluvial flats. During a large part of the year this is cut every four to six weeks.

LUCERNE

ITS GREAT VALUE AS A GRAZING CROP.

In years to come we think that Lucerne will be equally valued by Australian farmers for the wonderful grazing it affords as for its hay making qualities. The amount of suitable land for growing continuous heavy crops of hay is limited, as is also the available labor for hay making and the ready market for Lucerne Hay, but there are thousands of square miles suitable for growing grazing Lucerne, and which would give one good cutting of hay per year if required, and during the remainder carry three to four times the sheep per acre as compared with the natural grass or herbage, and would fatten them at the same time; for lambing ewes or for topping off lambs or grown sheep nothing can equal Lucerne. Some farmers believe that Lucerne will not stand grazing, they have seen Lucerne paddocks eaten out in times of drought when they were the only green feed available and were thus greatly overstocked. Of course, no perennial plant will stand continuous overstocking, but it is wonderful the amount of stock Lucerne will carry even in dry seasons if it is properly managed. The following will show what is wanted to make the best of this wonderful fodder plant; Lucerne should not be continuously grazed heavily, but if it is allowed to grow till it begins to flower, or as near that stage as possible, then it can be heavily stocked and eaten right down; this process can be repeated several times in a season, and if there are three or four separate paddocks in Lucerne they will afford constant grazing. During the winter, however, provided the heart of the plant is not eaten out, Lucerne can be fairly continuously grazed. If a spring tooth cultivator is put over the land occasionally and the surface torn up, the response in the extra growth of Lucerne will be beyond belief. This course should at any rate be followed once each year, preferably in the early spring before the Lucerne commences to grow, but a second cultivating in the late summer will well repay its cost. Providing the cultivator tines are sharp pointed, no fear need be entertained about putting the machine well down into the ground. The strong roots stand a deal of knocking about. The sharp pointed tines slip past the tap roots and do not cut them off completely. We strongly recommend cultivating both ways up to six inches deep.

The paddock will look like a fresh fallow when the cultivator has done its work, but, within a week, if there is any moisture in the soil at all, the fresh shoot will show through, and in a fortnight a strong succulent growth will be evident. If this is a spring growth, allow it to come just to the beginning of the flowering stage and then cut for hay. If you have cultivated in the early autumn the resultant growth can be grazed during the winter as described. The great importance of a late winter or early spring cultivation is two-fold. Firstly, the growth is stimulated remarkably; secondly, the ground is cleared of thistles, barley grass and trefoil, and your early summer crop of hay will be a clean one. It is always advisable to let the Lucerne grow to maturity once each year, that is to the flowering stage. The spring crop is the best, and this can profitably be made into hay. Even if there is no immediate use or market for it, an accumulation of Lucerne Hay is a reserve against times of drought and scarcity that will come in most opportunely sooner or later. One of the great advantages of Lucerne Hay if protected from the rain is, that it does not deteriorate by age or by the ravages of vermin.

Grazing Lucerne will do well on any country, hilly or flat, provided the following conditions are fulfilled: The plant is essentially a deep rooter and a lover of moisture. But so hardy is its nature that it is capable of penetrating to great depths in search of moisture. In most country, with a fair average rainfall, say, from twenty inches, soil of

the right type for Lucerne retains its moisture through most dry spells at a depth Lucerne is capable of reaching. This will not necessarily be enough to cause growth, but the plant will remain in a semi-dormant state and will respond at once to any shower of rain. But the Lucerne tap root must be able to get down, therefore very shallow soils with a stiff-clay close to the surface are not suitable for this crop. The soil besides being reasonably deep must also be "sweet," it must not be deficient in lime. Most of the soils west of the dividing range in New South Wales are "sweet" enough for Lucerne. Some of the coastal soils are not "sweet" in the sense that they are deficient in lime. Such soils can be made to grow Lucerne well by top dressing with lime. This has been proved at Exeter, as mentioned later in this article.

Suitable hilly land if planted with Lucerne will carry four to six sheep per acre for the greater part of the year. Rich moist creek or river flats will of course carry much more, but we consider such land more suitable for hay; stock should only be grazed on alluvial land when it is dry and the Lucerne reaching maturity, otherwise the surface will be trodden hard and the plants injured. Cattle, particularly dairy cows and working bullocks, as these are usually hungry and eat greedily, are apt to become blown or hoven if grazed on young succulent Lucerne, especially if it is damp with rain or dew; it is found however on the dairy farm at Exeter, N.S.W., owned by Yates Bros., Ltd., that a few acres of Lucerne, which were planted about ten years ago, is the most valuable grazing area on the estate; the cows after milking are put on to this patch for an hour or so in suitable weather only, and when this care is exercised no cows are lost and the milk yield is very largely increased. Treated in this way there is no outlay for hay making, while the full benefit of the enormous yield of Lucerne is obtained. This Lucerne paddock is regularly spring toothed at the end of each winter, and every year it is dressed alternately with superphosphate or air slaked lime. This paddock is on the top of a rich volcanic hill, the soil is chocolate and very deep. Till this was planted, the possibility of growing Lucerne profitably at Exeter was scouted.

We have recently heard of a case in a Western N.S.W. district where a man found Lucerne so profitable a crop for sowing on his hilly land that he followed this procedure. Poor quartz, undulating country, that only gave very light grazing was put under the plough and sown to Lucerne. This crop did well and provided good grazing for four years; it then thinned out. The land was again ploughed and sown in wheat, and a magnificent crop resulted from the soil improving qualities of the Lucerne. Next year the land was again sown in Lucerne and the same procedure carried on as before. This rotation has been going on for a number of years and is regarded as highly payable.

In Argentina, we are informed that there are fifteen million acres planted with Lucerne, and that it is mostly used for cattle raising and fattening; this partly accounts for the preference given in England to beef from that country. When cattle are continuously grazed on Lucerne they are no more subject to blowing than they would be on trefoil and other leguminous herbage common in the western districts of New South Wales, but care is required that the cattle are not hungry when they are first put on to the Lucerne or any other clover, especially in damp weather or when the plant is wet with dew. As compared with the native clovers, Lucerne has the very great advantage of growing during the summer and early autumn when the wild herbage and trefoil is burnt up and green fodder is usually not available.

YATES' CHOICE STRAINS

of

FLOWER SEEDS

For the Garden Beautiful.

Many of our leading lines are grown on our own Seed Farms in Tasmania and for quality and strain these are unsurpassed. In addition to these we offer all the newest and improved varieties from the leading Hybridists and Specialists the world over, so that this list of Flower Seeds now contains the finest range of Choice Strains we have ever offered.

Could a world be imagined, bereft of Flowers? If they did not exist, or were mysteriously hidden from our gaze, would our knowledge and appreciation of beauty be the same? *Maeterlinck.*

SOWING DIRECTIONS.

FOR CULTURAL information and instructions for obtaining the very best results and most pleasure from the flower garden, we would specially recommend Yates' Garden Guide, of which we recently published a new and largely re-written edition. This is the most complete and useful small gardening manual published in Australia. We have had well over a quarter of a million enquiries for Yates' Garden Guide. Price 1s., post free.



Those varieties so marked bear our special recommendation for quality, or special suitability for Australian conditions, or, if a novelty, one well worthy of trial.

In the following pages of Flower Seeds the different varieties are marked with reference letters, and by referring to the table below, the amateur will be able to plant them at the right time and to give them the most suitable treatment in sowing.

H.A.—Hardy Annual. Sow in Autumn or Spring.

H.H.A.—Half-hardy or tender Annual. Sow in late Spring.

H.P.—Hardy Perennial. Sow in Autumn.

H.B.—Hardy Biennial. Sow in Autumn.

A.—The seeds of these can be planted to advantage in the borders where the plants are to grow, thinning out to the proper distances apart when the seedlings are up. Or they can be raised in seed pans or nursery beds, and transplanted when large enough.

B.—These plants do not transplant well, and are best sown in the borders where the plants are to grow, thinning them out to the proper distances apart when large enough.

C.—These plants are best raised in pans, boxes, or sheltered nursery beds.

D.—Only suitable for raising under glass or frames. In the winter artificial heat would be required.

E.—Suitable for very hot sunny positions, and will thrive in the warmer districts as well as in the more temperate climates.

F.—These do best in the cooler climates, say where the English fruits thrive.

G.—If grown in warm climates require a shady position.

GARDENING TERMS.

Annuals.—Plants which complete their life span within a year. They require to be raised from seed every year.

Biennials.—Plants which being raised from seed one year, complete their life and die the next.

Perennials.—Plants which live more than two years.

Herbaceous.—Plants. Those perennials whose stems die annually, while their roots continue alive in the earth.

Early.—Applied to plants whose growing season is short, and which mature quickly. For this reason if late sowing becomes necessary an early sort usually does best.

Late.—Applied to plants which take longer to complete their growth than other varieties of their species.

Hardy Plants.—Are those with a vigorous constitution which will thrive in the open ground without much care.

Tender (or Half-Hardy).—Is a term applied to all plants which, being of delicate growth, require special care in raising. The term is more generally applied to those which are easily killed by extreme cold. Many plants, such as Tomatoes, are very tender in the early Spring, but become quite hardy when the weather gets warmer.

Yates' Special Value

Collections of Choice Flower Seeds.

THESE will be found particularly suitable, and we give extra good value when the selection is left to us in this way. We also pick out the strong growing, easily-raised varieties that are likely to succeed and give good satisfaction. We cannot break these Collections, but if customers wish any varieties to be left out of them, we will replace with other suitable sorts. We will send them all post free at prices quoted, and they may be ordered through any of our country agents, who would supply them at a few days' notice.

A — Twelve Choice Varieties of Pure White Flowers for Altar Decoration or making wreaths or bouquets. 3s.

B — Twenty Choice Flowers for Spring Planting. Suitable for summer bedding, viz., varieties which stand the heat and a fair amount of dry weather, and yet make a good show of bloom. 5s.

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G — Twelve Flowers for Autumn Planting, of the cheaper varieties only. 2s.

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I — Everlasting Flowers. Six choice varieties, 1s. 3d.

J — Ornamental Grasses. Six choice distinct varieties, 2s., or twelve varieties, 3s. 6d.

K — Twelve Choice Climbers. We give good distinct varieties only. 4s.

L — Six Choice Climbers, similar to the above. 2s. 6d.

Specials for the Children.

Few pursuits are so interesting, and have so good an educating influence on youthful minds, as growing flowers. To enable parents to supply their youngsters with small packets of assorted seeds, we make the following Collections. The packets are small, but quite large enough for the children's garden, and the price is low enough to enable each child to have one. Where there are a number of children, it is a good plan to offer a prize for the best kept garden, and to supply each with a small collection of seed.

M — Six Small Packets of Assorted Hardy Flowers, our selection, 1s.

N — Twelve Small Packets of Assorted Hardy Flowers, our selection, 2s.

To prevent mistakes, please mention the distinguishing letter in ordering any of these Collections, also the price.

SPECIAL PRICES OF FLOWER SEEDS BY WEIGHT

FOR LARGE GARDENS, PARKS AND FLOWER GROWERS.



The following are specially priced, see under corresponding sections in General List.

Antirrhinum	Lupins
Alyssum	Marigold
Amaranthus	Mignonette
Anemone	Nasturtium
Aquilegia	Nemesia
Asters	Pansy
Balsam	Petunia
Bellis Perennis	Phlox
Calliopsis	Poppies
Candy Tuft	Portulaca
Carnations	Primula
Canterbury Bells	Pyrethrum
Celosia	Ranunculus
Centaurea	Rhodanthe
Chrysanthemum	Salpiglossis
Cineraria	Salvia
Cockscomb	Scabiosa
Cosmos	Sunflower
Delphinium	Stocks
Dianthus	Sweet Peas
Forget-me-not	Sweet William
Gaillardia	Torenia
Gypsophila	Verbena
Hunemannia	Virginian Stock
Larkspur	Wallflower
Leptosyne	Zinnia
Lobelia	

Market Growers find it more profitable to grow only Yates' Selected Strains of Choice Flower Seeds.

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

ABUTILON (Lantern Flower). A pretty flowering perennial shrub; hardy, except in cold climates. H.P.—C. Packet

Hybridum Maximum (Giant Flowered)—These have immense flowers measuring up to three inches across; mixed colors 1 0

Finest Mixed New Hybrids 1 0

ACROCLINIUM Lovely everlasting flowers, valuable for cutting. Plant out in a sunny border. 1 ft. H.A.—A.

Roseum—Double. Bright rose. ... 0 3

AFRICAN DAISY—See Gerbera, also Arctotis, also Dimorphotheca.

AGATHEA Has charming blue Aster like flowers. They like a sunny situation. One of the showiest of our border flowers. H.P.—A. E.

Coelestis—Blue, with yellow centre; 18 in. ... 0 6

AGERATUM (Floss Flower) A lovely dwarf bedding plant, suitable for edgings or small beds. H.A.—A.

Imperial Dwarf Blue—6 in. 0 6

ALONSOA Very pretty dwarf plants, throwing up spikes of beautifully tinted flowers. H.A.—A.

Warscewiczii—Brilliant scarlet; 18 in. ... 0 6

ALYSSUM Pretty dwarf perennial plants, for edgings, borders and rock work. H.P.—A.

Odoratum (Sweet Alyssum)—White and very fragrant; 6 in. 0 3

Little Dorrit—An extremely dwarf variety, particularly suitable for edging; 3 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., (both varieties) per $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz. 1 0

 **Alyssum Procumbens**—(Carpet of Snow)—A very select strain, growing only about two and a half inches high. The blooms are massed, completely hiding all the foliage. 6d. pkt.

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ ounce, ... 1 0

AMARANTHUS Magnificent border plants, with the most brilliant foliage. To obtain the best results, a few seeds should be sown during September, October, or November, when the ground is warm, in clumps, where they are intended to grow, afterwards thin out, leaving the most promising for color. Give plenty of manure and water during the growing period. They should be planted out in the sunniest border in the garden; the more sun the more brilliant the color. They will make a gorgeous show in the autumn. H.H.A.—A. E.

 The following choice varieties have been selected at our Concord Nursery:—

Atrocarminea—Bronze leaved, carmine top; 8 ft. 0 6

Atrococcinea—Dark scarlet, narrow leaves; 6 ft. 0 6

Aurea—Green foliage, yellow top; 4 ft. ... 0 6

Carminae-Aurea—Yellow and carmine; a pleasing contrast; 10 ft. 0 6

Salicifolious Improved (Fountain Plant)—Long narrow leaves, pink foliage; 6 ft. 0 6

Tricolor Improved (Joseph's Coat)—Yellow, red, and green; very showy; 4 ft.; small packet 3d. 0 6

Concord Hybrids—Mixed ... small packet, 6d. 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., all varieties or mixed, per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce 1 6

COLLECTION of four of above varieties, distinct, our selection 1 6

AMMOBIUM Everlasting flower, suitable for borders. H.A.—A. Packet

Alatum—Bears large white flowers; 2 ft. ... 0 6

ANCHUSA (Capo Forgato-Mc-Not) A lovely border plant, does well in any soil with sunny situation. H.B.—C.

Italica (Dropmore variety) —The best. Has intense gentian-blue flowers with white eye; particularly suitable for cutting 0 6



ANEMONE (Windflower) Lovely spring flowering perennial plants of which we also offer the bulbs (see page 93). They are, however, easily raised from seed. For special instructions on raising these plants from seed see Yates' Garden Guide. Sow in late summer and autumn. One of the finest spring-flowering border plants for cool climates. H.P.—C. F.



Coronaria, St. Brigid, Yates' Prize Strain—A distinct strain of most brilliant and striking colors, most of the flowers being semi-double; a splendid class; 9 in., small pkt. 6d. 1 0



Beauty of Caen—An improved selection of the Single Coronaria Anemone and is noted for the size of flower, vigor of growth, but especially for the brilliancy and range of color. Small packets 6d. 1 0

Coronaria, Single—Mixed. Most showy and varied colors; 9 in. 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. variety, per $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 2 0



ANTIRRHINUM

OR SNAPDRAGON



Antirrhinum.

harmoniously together. The flowers are large and very showy, and, if they are picked as soon as they fade, the plants will continue in bloom for a long period. We offer the following distinct varieties as representative of the very best in this section, including the best English and American introductions.

Amber Queen —Yellow tinted chamois pink	Fascination —Flesh pink	Orange Prince —Orange and salmon-rose.
Black Prince —Black-red.	Fire Brand —Deep rich red	Queen of the North —Fine white.
Coccolnea —Scarlet.	Golden Queen —Yellow.	Rose Dore —Salmon Rose.
Cottage Maid —Rose and white	Mauve Queen —Rosy Mauve	Sulphur Yellow —Yellow with red veins.
Crimson Queen	Maize Queen —Salmon and Gold	Terra Cotta Shades
Daphne —Coral Rose and white	Mont Blanc —White	Tango Shades
Defiance —Dark scarlet	Nelrose —Silvery pink	Venus —Soft pink with yellow throat.
	Nobile —White, suffused purple crimson	White Queen —White.
	Rose Queen	

Each, 6d. packet.

Packet

COLLECTION six varieties, distinct, our selection	2	0
COLLECTION twelve var., distinct, our selection	3	6
COLLECTION eighteen varieties, distinct, our selection	5	0

Yates' Semi-Dwarf Varieties in mixture ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 0



Tall, New Giant Flowered—A new class of Tall Antirrhinums attracting considerable attention. The flowers are of extraordinary size and distinct from anything that has been produced in Antirrhinums up to the present.

Brilliant Chamois.	Corberus —Crimson-red	Golden Queen.
Cattleya —Silvery-rosy-lilac with golden lip.	Diamond —Scarlet with yellow lip and pinkish throat.	Purple King.
Copper King —Coppery-scarlet.	Gotelind —Bright orange	Snowflake —White with yellow throat.
		The Rose —Very large

Each variety or mixed, 6d. packet.

COLLECTION six varieties, our selection.	...	2	0
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For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 0

THESE are now offered in three distinct types, namely—**Tom Thumb or Extra Dwarf**; **Large-Flowered or Semi-Dwarf**, and **Tall Large-Flowered**. For the average garden and for massing in borders the Large-Flowered Semi-Dwarf are recommended as extremely suitable, but if it can be arranged, all three types should be planted. For edgings or massing along the front of borders the Tom Thumb sorts are splendid, and make a gay show; the tall large-flowered Antirrhinums are well-known for the length of spike, size of bloom, and rich coloring; these are most effective in clumps, or at the rear of borders.

The Antirrhinum has been in great favor with horticultural specialists of recent years, with the result that a truly **splendid range of named varieties** is now available in each section, and some **very charming color schemes** may be devised and carried out by the judicious selection of varieties in each of the above sections.

These newer Antirrhinums are recommended with every confidence as some of our **very best flowers for Spring and Summer blooming**. They stand the hot weather well, and will grow in dry sunny positions where many other plants will fail. Keep all dead flowers cut off to encourage a long blooming season. Hardy perennials. They do best sown in the Autumn, but can also be sown in the Spring. H.P.—A.E.



Large-Flowered Semi-Dwarf—For

massing in borders these cannot be excelled, more especially as most of the shades of color blend so



Tall, Large Flowered—The majestic Giant Antirrhinums are particularly suitable for

planting at the rear of borders, or between shrubs or other tall plants; we suggest that they are much more effective planted in clumps of separate colors, and for this purpose we offer Collections in separate colors. They are all large flowered, and the inferior colors have been discarded. We do not know of more showy or effective plants, or ones that will give a better range of color almost the year round. We offer the following distinct varieties:—

Brilliant —Brightscarlet and yellow.	Kermesina —Splendens scarlet.	Striped —Finest mixed
Fire King	Pink	Venus —Fine soft pink
Galathee —Crimson and white	Rose	White
Ghostia —Dark blood-red.	Scarlet	Yellow
	Silver Pink	Yellow, Striped Red
		and other varieties.

Each, 6d. packet.

Packet

COLLECTION of six varieties (our selection) ... 2 0

COLLECTION of twelve varieties (our selection) ... 3 6

Tall, Large Flowered Varieties in mixture ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 0

Tall—Good mixed ... 0 3



Tom Thumb or Extra Dwarf—For carpet bedding, or for massing in the fronts of borders, these very Dwarf Antirrhinums are particularly suitable; the flowers are large, varied, and bright in color. To keep very dwarf for close bedding, pinch out the central spike and so encourage the lateral growth. Where only one type is planted we prefer the Semi-Dwarf Large Flowered varieties, but a border planted with the three types offered on this page will make a gorgeous show, and will last in bloom for a very long period, especially if the seed pods are removed as quickly as they set. We offer the following distinct varieties:—

Album —White	Cupreatus —Copper-red	Galathee —Crimson and white
Aurea —Golden-Yellow	Delila —Carmine and white	Kermesina
Brilliant —Scarlet, white and yellow	Firefly —Orange and scarlet	Orange Yellow
Cinnabarinum —Rich red.	Henry IV. —Scarlet	Roseum
Crescia —Crimson		Sanguineum

Each, 6d. packet.

COLLECTION six varieties, distinct (our selection) ... 2 0

Yates' Tom Thumb Varieties in mixture ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 0

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

AQUILEGIA (Columbine) These are amongst the most beautiful of all hardy perennials and thrive in a moist open border. They do not give the best results till they are old-established plants. In our cooler districts a bed of these plants in full bloom in the spring is one of the most beautiful sights imaginable, and even about Sydney they do very well. They are long-lived plants, but we would recommend that a small sowing be made each year to keep up a vigorous stock. Sow February to May. H.P.—C. F.



Yates' Long Spurred—All Long Spurred types in splendid mixture of colors. We have included in this the finest English exhibition strains; we are growing and selecting them at our Tasmanian Seed Farm, where they come to great perfection, and we do not believe that a better and more varied mixture of choice Columbines can be supplied 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16 ounce 2 6

Coerulea—Violet-blue, white spurs 0 6

Glandulosa Vera—Deep azure blue, white corolla 0 6

Skinnerii—Scarlet, tipped green; very handsome 0 6

Good Mixed—Mostly double and semi-double 0 3

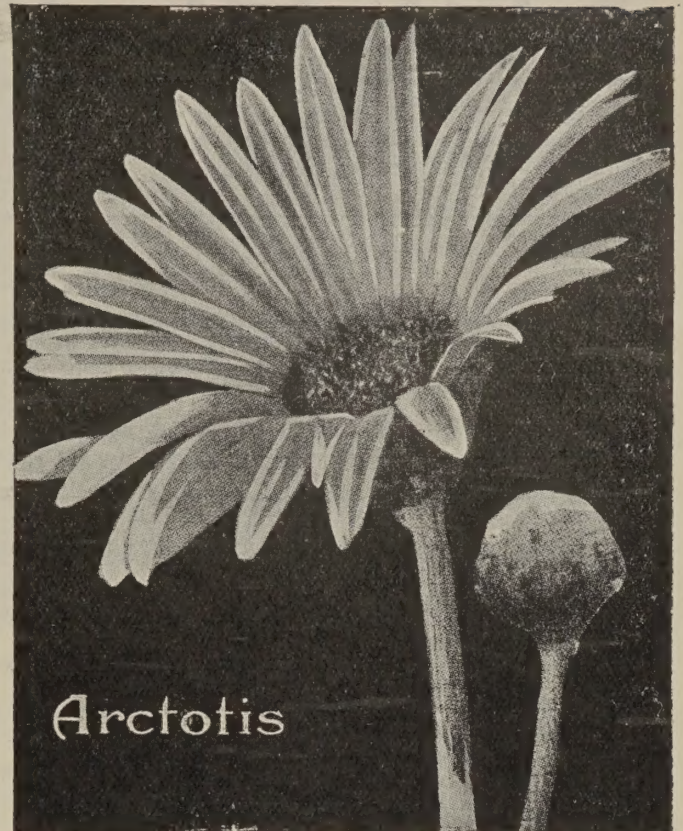


ARCTOTIS (White African Daisy) A beautiful hardy annual from South Africa, growing well in our climate. They require a sunny border. H.A.—A.

Grandis—The flowers, which are white, are produced on long stems and are three inches across; the petals are pale lilac on the reverse side, and the centre disc is light blue 0 6

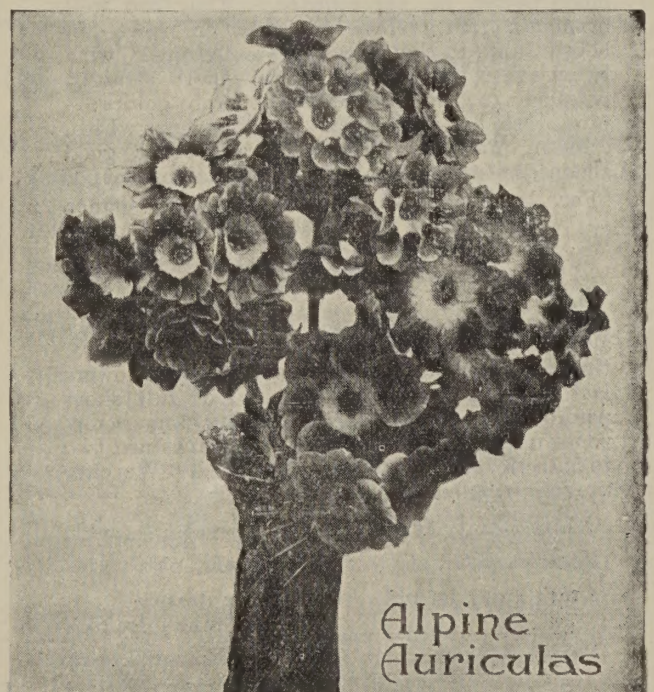
ARISTOLOCHIA ELEGANS—See Creepers, page 76

NOTE.—Special Prices for Seed by Weight for large growers.



AURICULA These plants grow best in partial shade, and in climates where English fruits thrive; they love a moist cool situation. The seed should be sown during February, March, or April, in a Seed pan kept in a cool shady frame; afterwards transplant to boxes or nursery beds. Packet

Alpine—Mixed colors; very fine strain 2 0



YATES' — SELECT ASTERS

The best results are obtained from September and October sowing. They require rich well manured open soil, and to be kept well watered and mulched in dry weather. The Asters offered below are nearly all saved on our own Seed Farms in Tasmania, and are of much stronger and more vigorous growth than any imported seed. We have tried Asters from every reputable grower in Europe and America, and we can say that no better strains are procurable than what we offer. H.H.A.—C.

NOTE AS TO TYPES.

THE varieties of Asters generally grown can be divided, broadly speaking, into two main classes—those with long flat petals (sometimes slightly recurved) which include the Yates Giant Crego, Californian Giants and Rochester types—and those with short stiff straight or slightly curled petals, such as the Yates' Tasmanian Branching, American Beauty, Heart of France, and Crimson Giant.

We urge growers to include a fair share of the late Asters, as these usually come into bloom with the cooler weather, thus producing more perfect and longer lasting blooms.



We grow practically all our ASTER SEED at our "Derwentside" (Tas.) Seed Farm.

Yates' Re-Selected Giant Crego Aster—A Packet

splendid strain, of free sturdy growth and attaining a height of two feet, well branched, with long strong stems; flowers are exceptionally large, often over four inches across. They last a long time when cut, and resemble Chrysanthemums in size and shape, and we confidently recommend these Giant Flowered Asters. We offer—white, rose, lavender, pink, dark blue, purple, light blue, and deep vieux rose and others, in mixture or each separate.

Small packet 6d. 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 2 6
per ½-ounce 1 6

COLLECTION of six separate colors ... 2 0

COLLECTION of nine separate colors ... 3 0

Yates' Tasmanian Branching Asters—They are much stronger and more vigorous in growth than the old varieties of this class, and do much better in our climate. They are well branched, and average two feet or more in height, and, in their season, are covered with twenty to thirty blooms of the short straight petalled type. We offer in separate colors:—pink, rose, heliotrope, dark purple, pure white, crimson, pink and white, blue, and other good shades, separate colors or mixed. Small packet 6d.

1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce 2 0
per ½-ounce 1 3

COLLECTION of six colors ... 2 0

COLLECTION of nine colors ... 3 0

American Beauty Asters—These are undoubtedly a most beautiful class. In season they are late, thus escaping the very hot water. The flowers last well and are very large, and of full short petalled type and are carried on long stems sometimes up to twenty-four inches. Plants are two to three feet high and well branched. We offer the following colors:—

White Beauty 1s. pkt. Peach Blossom 1s. pkt.

Rose 6d. pkt. Lavender 1s. pkt.

Azure Fairy 1s. pkt. September Beauty (Shell pink) 1s. pkt.

Purple 6d. pkt. Carmine Rose 6d. pkt.

COLLECTION of six colors (our selection) 3 6

California Giant Asters—A strain of the Crego Packet type, renowned for its robust habit and length of stem. The great size of flower and the long and sturdy stems make them of great value for all floral work. We offer four colors, each ... 1 0

Peach Blossom, Deep Rose, Light Blue, Dark Purple

Collection of three colors (our selection) ... 2 6

Heart of France Aster—A pure ruby-red Aster deepening a little with age, but retaining its purity of tone, claimed to be the best red Aster ever introduced. The flowers are large and full, and plants branching and robust. The stems are long and strong with very few petals. The petals appear strikingly changeable showing now a glow and sheen, now a soft warm velvety texture. In any light this variety is very beautiful ... 1 0

New Fancy Yellow Aster—The best yellow yet grown, it is fairly large and fully double ... 1 0

Rochester Asters—A highly developed strain of the Double Branching Comet type, but larger and fuller. The blooms have long narrow petals lying one over the other, forming a wonderful "shaggy" effect. In season they may be classed as early mid season.

We are at present growing two colors:—

Rochester Pink ... 0 6

Rochester Purple ... 0 6

Lavender Gem Aster—A delicate lavender deepening with age, a most desirable shade. Feathery, full double "comet" flowers on slender wiry stems. In season this variety is early, so should be in favor with cool climate growers ... 0 6

Crimson Giant Aster—Plants of upright growth, about two feet six inches. Flowers large and double, of the full short petalled type, rich purplish-crimson in color. Gives a grand effect when massed ... 0 6

Sensation—A distinct and very dwarf variety, seen to greatest advantage when massed close together for bedding. Color, a rich blood-red ... 0 6

Fine Mixed Asters—Mixed colors, very showy, good range of color ... 0 3

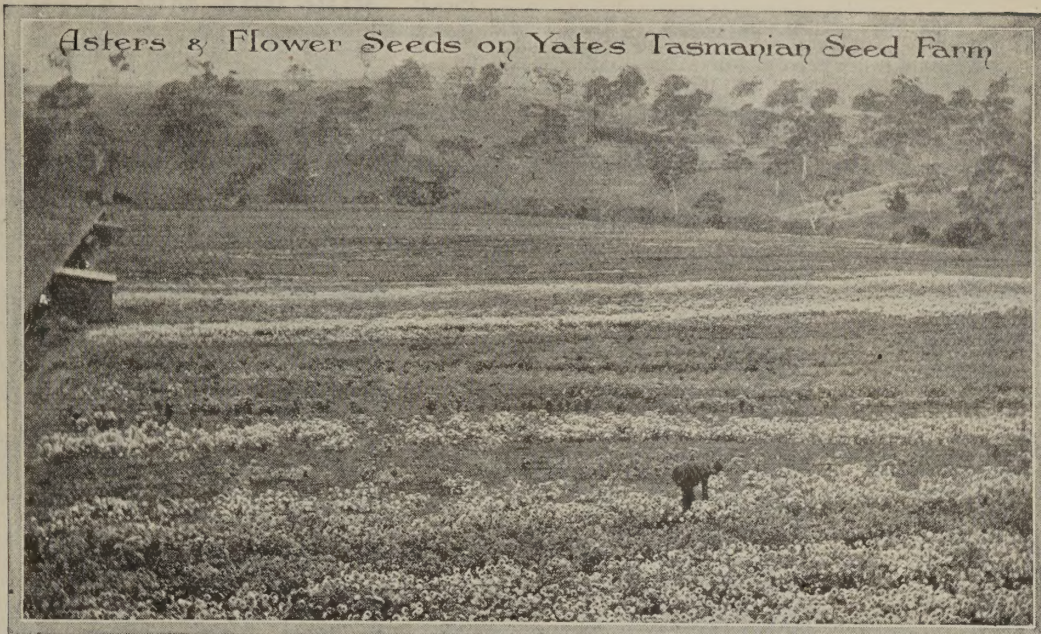
CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

NOTE

We have discontinued listing the following varieties, as we consider that in their present stage of development they are inferior to or have been superseded by the improved varieties now catalogued.

Giant Branching
Double Comet
Stanford
Astermum
Peerless Pink
Ostrich Plume
Mammoth
New Royal
King Aster

Asters & Flower Seeds on Yates Tasmanian Seed Farm



MAKE LIBERAL AND EXTENDED SOWINGS OF ASTERS.

EACH year there are many disappointments with Asters, owing to depending entirely on one sowing which a late frost or a cold snap kills in the seedling stage. If you will have early plants, it is wise to make sowings at intervals of a few days or a week, so that when conditions are favourable for planting out you will have well-grown sturdy plants just at the right stage. On the whole we consider October the best month for sowing, as by this time the conditions are more favorable for germination and growth. When the plants are developing keep a watch out for the small grub which sometimes appears in the very heart of the plant. It is best destroyed by "pinching" the foliage where it is. Dusting with lime helps to prevent this trouble and to keep the plants healthy.

BEGONIA

We offer the choicest strains of Single and Double Tuberous Rooted Begonias, containing all the best colors and markings; they are saved by the best European growers. Sown in the early spring under glass they will, with good cultivation, flower during the ensuing autumn. See Yates' Garden Guide for instructions for cultivation; they can only be raised successfully under glass. For tubers for planting, see Bulb pages. H.H.P.D.

Packet

TUBERS OF CERTAIN LEADING CLASSES OF TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS ARE AVAILABLE DURING JULY-AUGUST. For particulars see page 79.



TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

Double, Finest Exhibition Strain—Saved by the most noted English grower. Every color is represented, and the flowers are of the finest form and quality. Small packet, 1s. 6d.; larger packets ... 2 6

Single—A very fine strain, English grown, containing every tint of orange, yellow, red, rose, pink, and white. We also include in this a proportion of the crested and frilled types in their various colors. ... 1s. 6d. and 2 6

Pendula—For hanging baskets. A very fine new variety, of trailing habit, especially suited for hanging in a glass or a warm bush-house, very light and graceful in appearance, the colors are chiefly shades of red, rose, salmon, and pink. ... 2 6

Narcissus Flowered Hybrids—Scarlet and Carmine shades. About 60 per cent of the flowers are somewhat similar in form to a Trumpet Narcissus. The two outer petals forming the "perianth," while the inner petals form a conical tube or "trumpet" with more or less waved and fringed edge ... 2 6



FIBROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS For Bedding

Sow either in autumn or spring, in boxes or sheltered nursery beds

Semperflorens—Mixed. Beautiful herbaceous Packet bedding plants, containing ten of the best varieties of white, rose, and red shades in mixture ... 0 6

Semperflorens, Nana Compacta—A much dwarfer strain than the above, so more suitable for bedding. The flowers have the same range of colors ... 0 6

Gracilis, Prima Donna—A new bedding variety. Grows ten inches high, forming dense bushes, which are covered with rose-colored blooms ... 1 0

Gracilis, Bonfire—This is a grand shade in the beautiful Bedding Begonias. The flowers, which are carried well above the handsome metallic brown foliage, measure up to one-and-a-half inches across, and are of a lustrous carmine-scarlet ... 1 0

Gracilis Luminosa—This also is a splendid bedder; the flowers are deep scarlet and the satiny-brown-red foliage is considered by many a distinct improvement on other varieties of this class ... 1 0

ARTHUR YATES & CO. LIMITED

BALSAM To grow the best Balsams, they should be sown late in spring in nursery beds, and pricked off (when in rough leaf) and transplanted into their permanent positions; they thrive in rich moist soil. H.H.A., C. E.



Yates' Superb Double Rose and Camellia Flowered—Extra fine mixture of both these classes in all colors; one of the finest summer flowering annuals ...

... ..	0 6
COLLECTION of six distinct colors ...	2 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/4-ounce ...	3 0
" " " " " " 1/4-ounce ...	1 9
Good Mixed ...	0 3

BELLIS PERENNIS (Double Daisy) Hardy perennials, but are best treated as annuals and resown each autumn; they make excellent bedding plants. H.A. and H.P., C.



Yates' Prize Strain—A mixture of large flowering named varieties of brilliant coloring Small packet 6d. ...

For large gardens, parks, etc. 1/16 ounce ...	1 6
Longfellow—Large, dark rose, long stems ...	0 6
Snowball—Pure white ...	0 6



Giant Double Daisy (Monstrosa)—A new type of Giant Double Daisies, almost as large as small Asters. The flowers are just as perfect as the old varieties. We offer the three colors: White, red, and light rose in mixture ...

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 3 0



Bellis
or Double

Perennia
Daisy

BELL FLOWER—See Campanula.

BIGNONIA TWEEDIANA—See Creepers, page 76

BIRD OF PARADISE FLOWER—See Poinciana.

Packet

BORONIA MEGASTIGMA

The Sweet
Scented Boronia

Packet

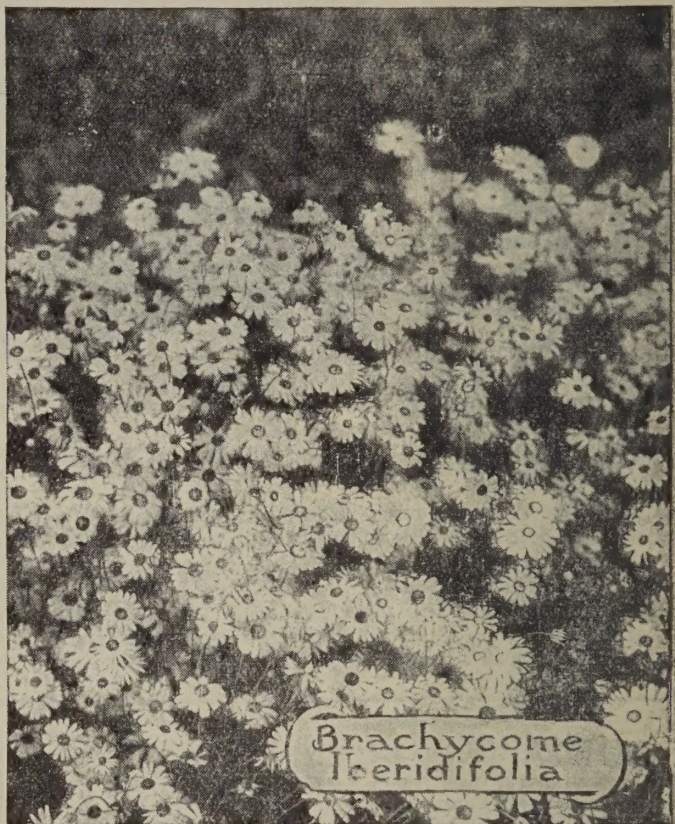
Requires a sandy, peaty soil, and a cool, moist climate. Sow in a seed pan or box in a cool shady situation. As these plants have a habit of dying out when they are a couple of years old, a small sowing should be made each season to keep up a vigorous stock. H.P.—C.F.

1 0

BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy)

These are charming dwarf plants, with lovely Cineraria-like flowers; a native of Western Australia, and suitable for hot dry sandy situations. H.A., E.

Iberidifolia—Mixed white and blue; 6 in. ... 0 6



Brachycome
Iberidifolia

BRAZILIAN GLORY PEA—See Sesbania Tripetii.

CALAMPELIS SCABRA—See Creepers, page 76.

CALCEOLARIA

Lovely glass-house perennials, with gorgeous colored blooms. To grow these plants successfully in the test of a good and clever gardener, especially in climates such as Sydney. They require cool moist conditions, and to be kept free of insect pests; when successfully grown no flower gives a more gorgeous display. In the Southern and cooler parts of Australia, and in Tasmania and Southern New Zealand, they are one of the most beautiful plants for spring blooming in the cool glass-house. For cultivation see Yates' Garden Guide. H.H.P.—D.



Hybrida, Yates' Superb Strain—Mixed colors; a selection of all the finest exhibition sorts ... 2 6

CALENDULA (English or Pot Marigold)

Very showy hardy annual, with gorgeous blooms; suitable for borders. H.A.—A.

ORANGE KING (Extra Select Florist's Strain)

Double dark orange red. A very select strain for flower growers, growing under ordinary good conditions, 18 inches high, flowers 3 1/2 inches across ... 0 6

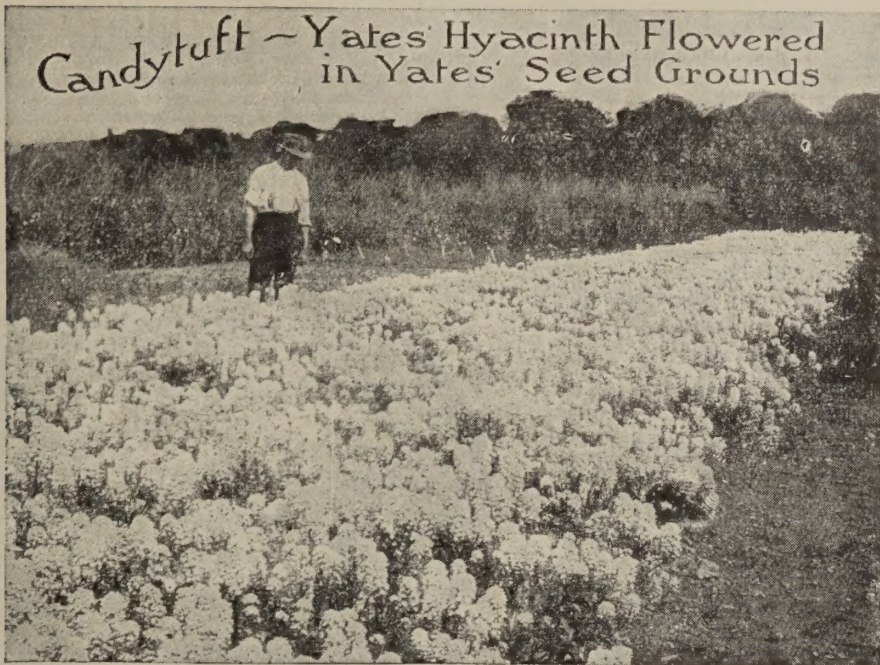
For gardens, parks, etc., per 1/4-ounce ... 1 6

Officinalis Meteor (Pot Marigold)—Double, apricot-orange ... 0 3

Stellata—A variety grown in India, grows up to 3ft. to 4ft., is well branched, and in season is covered with showy yellow blooms, handsome foliage. ... 0 6

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

Candytuft - Yates Hyacinth Flowered
in Yates' Seed Grounds



CALIFORNIAN POPPY—See *Eschscholtzia*.

CALLIOPSIS (*Coreopsis*) Very showy, hardy border plants; they continue to bloom through the hottest weather, and are much prized for cutting. They are hardy annuals, except *Lanceolata Grandiflora*. A. E.

ANNUAL VARIETIES.

Drummondii—Yellow, crimson centre; 2 ft. ... 0 3
Bicolor (*Tinctoria*)—Yellow and brown; 2 ft. ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 1 0

Bicolor Flora Plena—This is a double form of the well known Bicolor or *Tinctoria*, and in our opinion this double form is a distinct advance. The strain includes all shades and combination of yellow, brown and gold ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 2 0
Cardaminifolia—Mixed dwarf, compact, brown and yellow; 12 in. ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz ... 1 0

PERENNIAL VARIETY.

Lanceolata Grandiflora—A lovely golden yellow, single flower, hardy perennial, excellent for cutting, and borders; 2 feet ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 1 6

CAMPANULA (*Bell Flower*) The following are suitable for either the herbaceous border or for pot culture in the bush-house or window garden. They bloom the second season after sowing and are perennials. See also Canterbury Bells, which are varieties of *Campanula*. H.B.—C.F.

Pyramidalis—Blue and white mixed; 3 ft. ... 0 6
Carpatia—Blue and white mixed. Dwarf and compact; 4 in. ... 0 6

CANDYTUFT (*Iberis*) Hardy annual border plants, very showy for massing or edgings in borders. The strains we offer are very superior. Sow in the autumn or early spring. H.A.—A.

CORONARIA TYPE.

Yates' Hyacinth Flowered (*Empress*)—A grand strain, specially grown and selected at Yates' Seed Grounds, Timperley, (Eng). It has pure white spikes of great beauty and fragrance; 12 in. ... 0 6

Hyacinth Flowered (*Empress*)—A giant flowered variety, bearing long spikes of white fragrant blooms; should be sown thinly to get the best results; 9 in. ... 0 6

Packet

CANDYTUFT—Continued.

Packet

Little Prince—A very select strain of dwarf white Candytuft, growing only four to six inches high; very robust and compact; charming for bedding. For large gardens, parks, etc., three foregoing varieties per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 2 6

White Rocket—Long spikes of flowers; 12 in ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 1 0

UMBELLATA TYPE.

Yates' Giant Flowered—Choice mixed; this is the finest strain of mixed Candytuft yet introduced; the heads of bloom are double the size of the old varieties, there are also several new and delicate shades of color; 9 in. ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 2 6
Crimson—Showy; 9 in. ... 0 3
Purple—Good for contrast; 9 in. ... 0 3
White—Very pretty, good for bedding; 9 in. ... 0 3
Fine Mixed—Crimson, purple and white in mixture for border planting; 9 in. ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., each above varieties, per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 1 0

PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT.

Gibraltarica—Very large flowered perennial variety, of a beautiful tint of lilac, shading off to white ... 0 6

CANTERBURY BELLS (*Campanula Medium*)

Very handsome favorite border plants. They are hardy biennials, and are best sown in February, March, or April; they will then flower in the following spring. Our seed is saved from the most brilliant colored varieties. They thrive best in cool climates. H.B.—C.F.

Single—We stock the white, rose and blue varieties ... each 0 6

Single—Mixed colors, white, blue and rose; 24 in. small packet 3d. ... 0 6

Double—All the best colors mixed; 24 in. ... 0 6

Calycanthema (Cup and Saucer)—All colors mixed, charming; 24 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each variety per $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz 1 0

CAPE PRIMROSE—See *Streptocarpus*.

CARDIOSPERMUM HALICACABUM—Page 76.

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CARNATION Carnations are hardy perennials, and should be sown in autumn or early spring. If the former, they will flower the same year. To get good double flowers, the best seeds only should be sown. Our choicest strains cannot be excelled. We have made a speciality of these plants. Sow in seed pans or boxes and shade from the sun. For a special article on the raising of Carnations from seed see Yates' Garden Guide. As the choicer strains are usually weak growers, they require care to raise them successfully. H.P.—C.

American Perpetuals (Australian saved) — A very vigorous race, with long stiff stems, which make ideal flowers for cutting. They have extra large flowers, the petals are fringed, not "exhibition" type, and are particularly suited for cut flowers. Mixed seed of all sections and colors, in packets of thirty seeds ... 2 6

Australian Show and Decorative Perpetuals (Australian saved) — These are from the best types and will give a very good proportion of the finest double flowers. All sections and colors in mixture. In packets of thirty seeds ... 2 6

Perpetual Flowering Nice Giant — A remarkably fine strain of double mixed Carnations. They produce a great variety of colors and a good percentage of large double flowers ... 2 0

Margaret, Giant Malmaison — A particularly good class of perpetual flowering Carnations for general border work and cut flowers. The plants are easily raised, and bloom in four to five months from sowing, producing in the greatest profusion, large well-formed and beautifully fragrant blooms on long stems. We offer a Splendid Mixture, or the following colors separately. The seed of separate varieties produces quite a good percentage true to color.

White Dark Red Rose Violet Yellow
per packet, each 0 6

SPLENDID MIXTURE — Contains a very fine range of color and is highly recommended. Small pkt. 6d 1 0

For large gardens, parks etc., per ¼-ounce ... 6 0
per ½-ounce ... 3 6

Margaret, good mixed — A valuable class, producing large blooms of all colors, free flowering. Splendid for bright sunny situations.

Small packet 3d. 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 4 6
per ½-ounce ... 2 6

CASTOR OIL PLANT — See Ricinus.

J. G. W——, Esq., Wagga Wagga.

I might mention that I have had great success with the Asters, grown from the Giant Crego and Tasmanian Branching seeds procured from you, the blooms on nearly every plant being particularly fine. I procured 80 plants from the two packets of seeds.



CELOSIA (Feathered Cockscomb) Stately border plants with gorgeous feathery blooms of the most glowing colors. They are half-hardy annuals, and should be raised under shelter in the early spring (or outside when the frosts are over) for summer bedding. They are largely used in the London parks. They require a sunny situation. H.H.A.,—C.E.

THREE SPECIALITIES:

Thompsoni Magnifica, Yates' Crimson King — An intense crimson form of Feathered Cockscomb, and quite dwarf in habit, making it particularly suitable for small flower beds. Packet The color is most effective for a display in the late summer; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Thompsoni Magnifica, Yates' Golden Queen — Rich golden yellow, very decorative; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Thompsoni Magnifica, Cristata — A combination of the Ostrich Plume and Cockscomb; very suitable for borders as specimen plants, or in a mass in large beds. Grows from two to three feet high and in many shades of color, the same as Celosia Thompsoni Magnifica, and has both the comb on the top and the plume or tassel down the stems of the plant. Quite a unique combination; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Thompsoni Magnifica Mixed — A good strain of improved Feathered Cockscombs, containing the above fine sorts in mixture; 2ft. ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., each above varieties per ½-ounce ... 2 0

PYRAMIDALIS PLUMOSA — (Feathered Cockscomb) Crimson and yellow, 2½ feet. Each color 0 6
Mixed ... Small packet 3d. 0 6



CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

CENTAUREA (Corn Flowers and Sweet Sultans)

Lovely hardy annuals, very pretty, splendid for cutting. They are most easily grown and continue in flower a long time if sown in the autumn. In cool climates they may also be sown in the spring. H.A.—A.

Cyanus (Cornflower)

Blue King—Deep blue, semi-double; 2 ft. ... 0 3
Double—Mixed colors, very beautiful ... 0 3
 For large gardens, parks, etc., each per 1/4-oz. 1 6

Odorata Marguerite (White)—A new and very beautiful class, with double white blossoms; splendid for cutting and does well in our mild climate ... 0 6

Odorata Chameleon—A very beautiful flower, yellow and rose ... 0 6

Moschata (Sweet Sultan):

Yellow—Very showy; 18 in. ... 0 3
White—Splendid for cutting; 18 in. ... 0 3
Mixed Colors, including purple; 18 in. ... 0 3
 For large gardens, parks, etc., each per 1/4-oz. 1 6

Imperialis (Giant Flowering Sweet Sultans)—Produces blossoms from three to four inches across, of graceful, airy effect, and most deliciously fragrant. The colors vary from glistening white, through shades of red from flesh-pink to crimson, and in blues from silvery lilac to royal purple. Are excellent for cutting. Mixed colors ... 0 6
 For large gardens, parks etc., per 1/4-oz. ... 1 0

CHERRY PIE—See Heliotrope.

CHINESE LANTERN PLANT (or Winter Cherry)—See Physalis Francheti.

CHINESE BELL FLOWER—See Poinciana.

CHRYSANTHEMUM Very favorite family of border plants. They are all hardy and excellent for cutting. Sow in the autumn in warm climates or in spring in cool localities. H.A. and H.P.—C.



Single, Yates' Concord Strain (Indicum)—

Mixed colors. This seed is saved from a collection of the best of the newer single autumn flowering Chrysanthemums. They usually have two or three rows of petals of great substance, and are of a great variety of coloring and wonderful vigor. Sown in the early spring they will flower during the autumn; hardy perennials ... 1 0
 For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 2 0

Evening Star—Same type as Northern Star. Pure golden yellow single flowers of really handsome appearance; splendid for cutting ... 0 6



Yates Large Flowered Branching Cineraria

CHRYSANTHEMUM—Continued



Star of the East—A selection made in Yates' Seed Grounds, Timperley, (England.) The flowers are cream with a rich dark brown centre; very handsome and good for cutting. 0 6

Northern Star—An improved single white Chrysanthemum. The brilliant white of the petals, shading to soft yellow at the base, is in striking contrast to the large black centre disc; splendid for cutting... 0 6

Tricolor—Fine mixed; handsome border plants, hardy annual; 2 ft. ... 0 3

Coronaria (Double Mixed)—White and yellow, effective hardy Annual, 2 feet. ... 0 3

Leucanthemum Excelsior, Improved Shasta Daisy—Much the largest of the Shasta Daisies, measuring up to four-and-a-half inches in diameter ... 0 6
 For large gardens, per 1/16-ounce ... 1 6



Chrysanthemum Star of the East in Yates' Seed Grounds

CINERARIA

Cinerarias are tender annuals suitable for glass-house or bush-house. They should be sown in pans or boxes in summer or early autumn for winter and spring blossoming. In Auckland and Sydney and similar mild climates, in positions where they are sheltered from strong winds and too much sun, they bloom splendidly in the open ground. In such conditions they may well be alternated with Asters, the same rich soil and sheltered situation suiting both these plants equally well; this rotation will give a gorgeous show both in spring and autumn. The Cinerarias we offer are very vigorous and hardy, and suitable for outdoor growth where only mild frosts are experienced; in more severe climates they require a cool glass-house to bring them to perfection. The leaf miner, which is a trouble to Cinerarias, may be kept away with regular spraying of quassia or benzole emulsion—see Yates' Garden Guide. Cinerarias are surface-rooting plants, and do best when the ground is well mulched, and in dry weather they should receive a sprinkling every day or two with the hose. H.H.A.—C.



Yates' Large Flowered Branching—A strain which has been carefully selected for many years past. The plants, if well grown, will reach three feet and will be almost as much across; they are very vigorous growers, well branched, and have thick leathery foliage. The flowers are large and of brilliant coloring, all inferior shades having been discarded. Sm. pkt 1s 6d

For large gardens, parks, etc., 1/32-ounce ... 6 0

Maritima—Handsome foliage plant; white velvety foliage; splendid for bedding ... 0 6

ARTHUR YATES & Co. LIMITED

CLARKIA Hardy annual; pro-
fuse bloomer. Sow
in the autumn. H.A.—A. Packet

Double Varieties—These new varieties of Dwarf Double Clarkia are very suitable for bedding as well as for cut flowers. They are a wonderful improvement on the old single varieties and we strongly recommend them. We offer:

Apple Blossom—Pink	...	0	6
Brilliant—Bright carmine-rose	...	0	6
Purple Prince—Light purple	...	0	6
Queen Mary—Lovely rose	...	0	6
Scarlet Queen	...	0	6

COLLECTION of four new double varieties ... 1 6

Mixed—All varieties ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each or mixed, per $\frac{1}{8}$ ounce... 1 6



A bed of Double Clarkias

CLIANTHUS Beautiful hardy plants, worthy of a place in any garden. They all do best if sown where intended to remain. H.P.—B. Packet

Dampieri (Sturt's Desert Pea)—Thrives in dry, poor, sandy soil; it is a native of the dry Australian interior, and it requires somewhat similar conditions to bring it to perfection. Sow thinly in the open in the early spring in a warm dry situation, and afterwards do not disturb them; the seed requires soaking in hot water before sowing; they will not transplant. The flowers are brilliant deep crimson black centres

1 6

Crop very short, supplies uncertain.

Puniceus (New Zealand Glory Pea)—A splendid hardy perennial, trailing or climbing flowering shrub, growing six to ten feet high, with gorgeous crimson flowers, which are produced in the greatest profusion in the spring. Sow in autumn

1 0

Puniceus Albus—The flowers are white instead of crimson ... 1 0

COBOEA SCANDENS—See Creepers, page 76

COCKSCOMB Half-hardy annuals, and are amongst the best summer bloomers we possess. Sow in the spring, in warm situations or frame. H.H.A.—C. E.

Glasgow Prize—Crimson, a very dwarf strain saved from exhibition combs ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{16}$ -ounce ... 1 6

Good Mixed—Several shades, including crimson and yellow, salmon and gold ... 0 6

For Feathered Cockscomb—See Celosia.

COLEUS The seed should be sown in the early spring, under glass or on a hot bed. When large enough and the weather is warm, they may be planted out, or moved into larger pots when wanted for specimen plants. They thrive in rich soil, with plenty of heat and moisture and a fair amount of light, and they should only be protected from the fiercest rays of the sun. For fuller cultural directions see Yates' Garden Guide. P.—D. E.



Yates' Concord Hybrid Exhibition—For a choice strain of these favorite foliage plants we recommend highly the seed we now offer.

They range from the gorgeous large-leaved exhibition varieties to the fringed and the smaller leaved sorts, which have such brilliant coloring. In the climate of Sydney they make extremely handsome border plants for summer bedding, also excellent bush-house plants; but in cool climates they should be grown in pots under glass or in a warm sheltered corner ... 1 6

Where they are required for bedding purposes, we can supply large bulk packets ... 2 6

COLUMBINE—See Aquilegia.



CONVOLVULUS MINOR (Morning Glory)
Hardy annuals. A.

Mixed Dwarf—White, and shades of blue; 12in. 0 3

CONVOLVULUS MAJOR (Climbing Morning Glory)
See Creepers.

COREOPSIS—See Calliopsis, page 4

CORNFLOWER—See Centaurea Cyanus.

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

COSMOS

The Cosmos is one of the finest autumn flowering plants. They are most graceful and beautiful for cutting, and can be kept dwarf by breaking down and by striking cuttings. Sow in the spring. In Sydney and warm climates excellent results are obtained by sowing in nursery beds as late as January, and transplanting them to the borders when large enough. They do not grow so tall under this treatment, and give fine blooms late in the autumn. H.A.—A.E.

New Extra Early Flowering Double Cosmos

— This new introduction grows to a height of about three feet forming a perfect bush massed with bloom. The double flowers, of which about 75 per cent. come true from seed, are of good size and carried on long stems. They come into flower in about ten or eleven weeks ... 1 6

Packet



Double, Pink, White and Red—Our strain Packet of Double Cosmos can be depended upon to throw a large proportion of double or semi-double flowers. The flowers vary considerably in their degree of doubleness. In most cases the centre of the flower is very double and prettily frilled, and is surrounded with a row of broad single petals, the effect being very dainty and attractive, in others the whole flower is double. When planting out select plants with the coarser foliage, these are the doubles. This strain contains both pink, white, and a few red in mixture. We supply the three colors separately or in mixture 1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 2 0
per 1/8-ounce ... 3 0

Mammoth Perfection—The flowers are of the most delicate shades of white, crimson, and rose; immense size; H.A., 5 ft. ... 0 6

The Pearl—A beautiful pure white variety; 5 ft. ... 0 6

Mixed—White, rose, and crimson; 5 ft. ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above three varieties per 1/4-ounce ... 1 0

Yellow Klondyke—Brilliant orange flowers, very showy; requires warm seed bed ... 0 6

CYCLAMEN These beautiful bulbous plants make a splendid show in the glasshouse or bush-house during the early spring. They can be sown either during autumn or spring in pans, and should be kept growing till they flower, after which they go to rest. It is advisable to make a sowing every year to get the best results. They are best grown in a cool frame, and should always be kept close to the glass; they do not require artificial heat. For further cultural directions, see Yates' Garden Guide. For prices of bulbs see Bulb pages. H.H.P.—D.

Persicum Giganteum—A superb strain of mixed colors from the leading English growers; this is the best strain for general cultivation and contains every color ... 2 0

CUPFLOWER—See Nierembergia.

DAHLIAS Very easily raised from seed, and, if sown in the early spring, will bloom the first season. The raising of new varieties in this way is extremely interesting, as there is a large element of chance. Quite frequently, when the choicest seed is sown, such as we offer, many of the plants will equal the best of the named varieties. Seedlings are usually extremely hardy and vigorous, and are of infinite variety of coloring, no two plants being usually quite the same. For plants and tubers see Dahlias in Bulb pages. H.P.—C.

FOUR SPECIALITIES (all saved at Concord):



Cactus, Yates' Special Strain—Saved from our large collection of named varieties. We only save the seed from varieties of superior merit. Our strain of Cactus Dahlia seed has established a high reputation, and will produce a big percentage of fine exhibition type blooms. 1 0



Peony Flowered—Unsurpassed as border plants, making a gorgeous show. Our seed is saved from a fine collection of the most showy and distinct varieties. Small packet, 6d. 1 0



Collarette—Collarette Dahlias are now well established in popular favor. They are a very beautiful class of Single Dahlias, with a secondary row or "collar" of bifurcated petals of a lighter color; they make excellent border plants. Small packet, 6d. 1 0

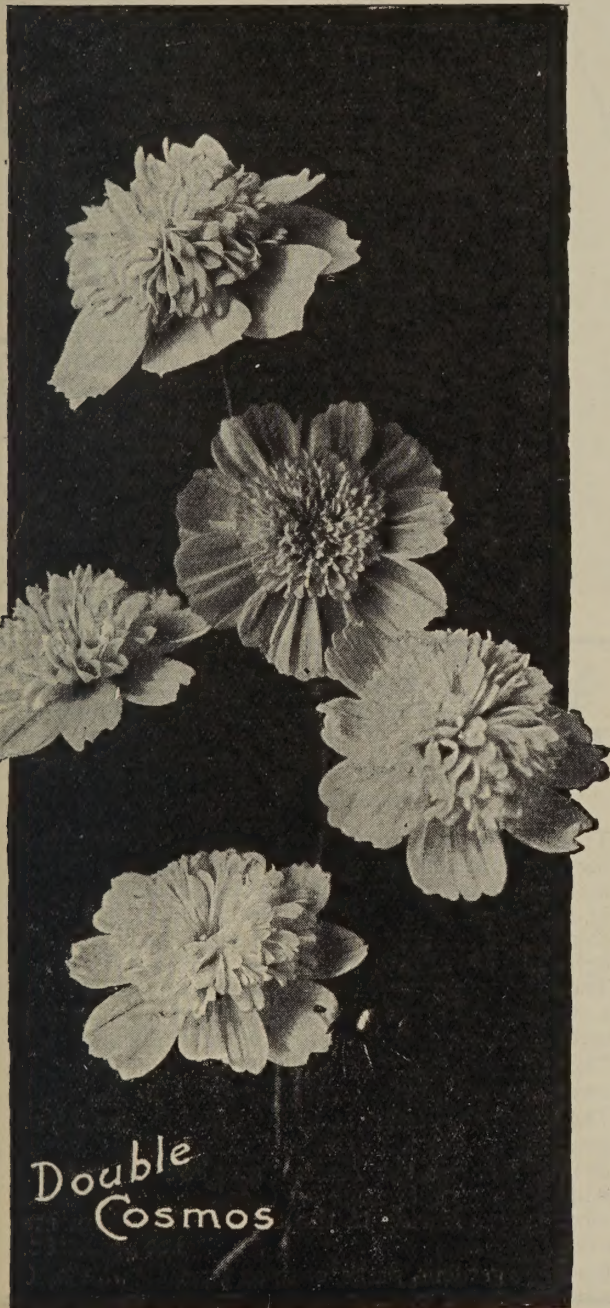


Pompon—Saved from a very fine collection of named varieties. All colors mixed. Small packet, 6d. 1 0

Giant Perfection, Single and Semi-Double—This is a specially good strain of these showy plants, producing a good proportion of very large flowers; splendid for cutting ... 0 6

Single—Ordinary mixed ... 0 3

Double—Finest mixed ... 0 6





Delphinium
Blue Butterfly

DELPHINIUM (continued)—



Sulphureum—Produces stately spikes of rich, canary - yellow flowers.

On account of unusual coloring this should be tried by those looking for something new 1 6



Blue Butterfly (Chinese Delphinium)—A most distinct and neat growing variety, with fine feathery cosmos-like foliage, and producing freely loose spikes of exquisite blooms, of the following colors, which last a long time cut. Plants are of bushy growth, about 18 inches high, and bloom throughout the summer.

Gentian Blue	...	...	0	6
Azure Blue	...	...	0	6
White	...	...	0	6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/8-ounce	...	...	2	0

Cardinale—A very beautiful strain, with large handsome flower spikes of bright scarlet, height 4 feet; this variety is most suitable for a cool climate Small packet, 6d. 1 0

DESERT PEA—See *Clianthus Dampieri*.

Mr. V. G. A——, Murrumbidgee, Vic.
17/11/23.

I am writing to let you know of the splendid results I have had from your Stock Seeds. I was awarded two first prizes at the Malvern Spring Show; also one first prize at the Brighton Show. The stocks were an excellent variety of shades. As a matter of fact I have had every satisfaction from your seeds, which I have procured from your agent, Mr. Thompson, of Malvern.

DAISY, SHASTA—

See *Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum*.

Packet

DELPHINIUM (*Perennial Larkspur*) Lovely class of border plants; very stately and attractive. The seeds should be sown in February, March, or April, and also again in spring. When large enough, transplant into rich moist soil in sheltered positions, they will then flower six months later, either in autumn or spring. They are much better treated as annuals in the warmer districts of Australia, the old plants being discarded after flowering and fresh seed sown. Treated in this way they may be had in bloom twice yearly; the flowers from seedling plants are also usually much finer. In cool climates they will last for some years. protect well from slugs and snails. H.P.—C.F.



Yates' Extra Select Perennial Hybrids—

Saved from a fine collection of named Delphiniums. The flowers are of a great many beautiful shades, from white and sky-blue to rich dark blue and purple and include single, double and semi-double blooms in great variety To ensure a stock of fresh seed we save the seed at our Tasmanian, New Zealand, and New South Wales Nurseries, where they seed at different seasons Small packet, 6d. 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 2 6



A Moneymaker for Florists.

Didiscus Coeruleus

(Blue Lace Flower)

This is a native of Western Australia which has become exceedingly popular with flower growers in the United States, indeed it is described as one of their most popular Annuals on account of the color, which is a rare and exquisite shade of clear light blue. The plants grow 18in. to 2ft. high. The foliage is graceful, and the blooms, formed of a number of small florets, are up to three inches across and are carried on long stout stems.

They show their best form when the warmer weather commences. The flowers last well when cut.

The Blue Lace Flower is, in our opinion, worthy of extended trial by large or small growers.

In mild climates this Annual may be sown in early Autumn or in Spring. In colder districts we recommend sowing in the Spring after frosts are over. Per packet 6d.

For large gardens, parks, etc. per 1/8-oz. ... 2 0

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

DIANTHUS Dianthus are amongst the best flower- ing plants we have, and, although they are actually biennials, if cut back severely before seeding, they will last longer, but, to get the best results, fresh seed should be sown each year. They are quite hardy and continue to bloom throughout the year. We offer a very fine collection, and we strongly recommend customers to sow several varieties of them. Sow in either spring or autumn. H.B.—A.E.



Yates' Double Hybrids, Derwent Strain—A mixture of all the best varieties grown, and continuously selected for their beauty of color, size of flower, and compact habit. An excellent strain ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ½-ounce ... 2 6



Yates' Single Hybrids, Derwent Strain—A very fine strain; bearing extra large flowers of the richest colors and markings, many being deeply fringed ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ½-ounce ... 1 6

Fireball, Double—Brilliant scarlet. It forms thickly branching bushes covered with bloom ... 0 6

Snowball—Large flowered, double, white, very effective ... 0 6

Little Gem (The Bride)—A splendid single variety, dark and light crimson in centre, with broad white margin round the edges ... 0 6

Eastern Queen—Rose colored, single variety ... 0 6

Crimson Bell—Large single fringed flowers, brilliant dark red ... 0 6

Mourning Cloak—A very large double flower; dark purple, edged pure white and fringed ... 0 6

Salmon Queen, Laciniatus—Single fringed, very showy; a lovely shade of color ... 0 6

Vesuvius, Laciniatus—Brilliant, single, orange-scarlet, fringed ... 0 6

Laciniatus, Single—Mixed colors, beautifully fringed flowers; one of the best small pkt, 3d. ... 0 6

Nobilis (Royal Pink)—Large single fringed flowers, very rich shades ... 0 6

Diadematus (Diadem Pink)—Extra double variety, assorted colors ... 0 3

Heddewigii, Double (Japanese Pink)—Mixed; a fine strain ... 0 3

Heddewigii, Single (Japanese Pink)—Mixed, containing a large assortment of colors ... 0 3

Imperialis, Double (Imperial Pink)—Showy variety; mixed colors ... 0 3

Chinensis (Indian Pink)—Small double flowers; vigorous ... 0 3

COLLECTION of twelve distinct varieties (our selection) ... 3 0

For large gardens, parks, etc. (all except the first two varieties specially priced), per ½-ounce ... 1 3

PERENNIAL DIANTHUS.

New Cheddar Pink Hybrids—A charming class of Rock Pinks for rockwork, edgings, etc. They grow to a height of 8 to 10 inches and produce in abundance white, blush-rose, rose-crimson and mauve blossoms, which are deliciously clove scented ... 1 0

DAISY—See Bellis Perennis, page 44.

DIGITALIS—See Foxglove, page 52.

Packet

DOLICHOS (varieties)—See Creepers, page 76.

DIMORPHOTHECA (African Golden Daisy) A choice and extremely showy annual from South Africa, with brilliant orange-gold, Marguerite-like flowers. It is a most profuse bloomer and has a very neat branching habit, growing twelve to fifteen inches high. The brilliant flowers are set off by having dark centres, the general effect, when grown in masses, being extremely fine. They like a bright sunny situation. Sow in the spring. H.A.—C.E.

Aurantiaca—Brilliant orange ... 0 6

Aurantiaca Hybrida—They vary in color from pure white to reddish and bluish white tints, and include various shades of sulphur and lemon-yellow and beautiful salmon and salmon-orange ... 0 6

ESCHSCHOLTZIA (Californian Poppy) A very showy race of hardy annuals, which thrive in our dry hot climate, and make a great show nearly the whole year round. Sow in the autumn or spring. H.A.—B.E.



Concord Mixed—A superior strain grown at our Concord Nursery; they are mostly glowing orange but also contain the beautiful carmine tints ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ½ ounce ... 1 6

Yates' Crimson—A brilliant color; 12 in. ... 0 6

Carmine King—One of the best; carmine-rose; 12 in. ... 0 6

Mandarin—Brilliant deep orange; 12 in. ... 0 6

Californica—Orange, effective in clumps; 12 in. ... 0 3

Californica Alba—Creamy white flowers; 12 in. ... 0 3

COLLECTION of four varieties ... 1 0



NEW COLORS IN ESCHSCHOLTZIAS

We offer the following set of new named varieties which are the result of constant endeavour by a noted raiser, believing, now they are obtainable in such beautiful separate shades, that growers will welcome the possibility of massing them in pleasing color schemes.

Packet

Orange Flame—Vivid orange scarlet, plant very erect and compact, flowers medium size, excellent for borders ... 0 9

Ballet Girl—Outside of petals vivid carmine, inside creamy white, a startling contrast. The whole flower is beautifully frilled and fluted ... 0 9

Tango—Bronzy red overlaid terra cotta, a sensational color ... 0 9

Mauve Beauty—A beautiful shade of pure mauve, a delicate color previously unknown in these flowers ... 0 9

Purple Glow—The darkest variety in existence and a great advance. Color, a rich reddish purple ... 0 9

Lovely—Blooms have a satiny appearance, and are a bright rose pink suffused salmon ... 0 9

Scarlet Beauty—Has the appearance when in bloom of a vivid scarlet tulip, a fine variety ... 0 9

Each 9d. pkt., or a Special Collection of one packet each of six varieties (our selection) ... 4 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ½ ounce ... 3 0

ARTHUR YATES & Co. LIMITED



Gaillardia

ENGLISH OR POT MARIGOLD—See Calendula.

EVERLASTINGS See Acroclinium, Ammobium, Globe Amaranth, Helychrysum, Rhodanthe, Statice.
For COLLECTIONS see page 38.

FAIRY GRASS—See Gypsophila.

FEATHERED COCKSCOMB—See Celosia.

FLOSS FLOWER—See Ageratum.

FLAX—See Linum.

FOUNTAIN PLANT—See Amaranthus, Salicifolus Improved.

FORGET-ME-NOT (*Myosotis Alpestris*). This old English favorite does best in a sheltered moist border. Sow in the autumn. Hardy perennial; 9 in. H.P.—C.F.

Blue—The favorite color ... 0 6

For Large Gardens, parks, etc., per ½-oz. ... 1 6

Mixed Colors—Including white ... 0 6

CAPE FORGET-ME-NOT—See Anchusa.

FOXGLOVE (*Digitalis*) Stately, hardy perennial border plants, very handsome in mixed borders. If sown in the autumn they will bloom the following spring. H.P.—A.F.

Monstrosa—Long spikes of large flowers of various colors, many being beautifully spotted. The chief characteristic of this strain is the enormous bell-shaped blossom at the top of each spike ... 0 6

Large-Flowered Spotted—These are particularly large and beautifully spotted. The colors include white, cream, rose, red, and other shades, with beautiful markings in the throat, and blotchings and spots of purple and maroon ... 0 6

Fine Mixed—All shades. ... 0 6

FREESIA Sow in the autumn. Flowers the first season from seed, beautifully fragrant. For bulbs see Bulb pages. H.P.—C.

Refracta Alba—Pure white. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼ ounce ... 1 6

FUCHSIA Fuchsias will bloom the first year if the Packet seed is sown early under glass. We offer a very fine strain. H.P.—D.

Double and Single—Extra fine, mixed ... 1 6

GAILLARDIA Very effective border plants. They do extremely well in our climate and give a good show of bloom nearly all the year. They may be sown either in the autumn or spring.

H.P. and H.A.—A.E.



New Perennial Hybrids—A very select strain grown at our Tasmanian Farm. They include several new tints and shades, from almost pure orange to Indian red, with innumerable intermediate shades; exceptionally large ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼ ounce ... 6 0

Grandiflora—Fine mixed; a grand strain of this splendid hardy perennial; 18 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼ oz. ... 2 0

Lorenziana—Large handsome double-quilled flowers of red and yellow shades; hardy annual; 18 in. ... 0 3

Picta, Single—Mixed colors; hardy annual; 18 in. ... 0 3

GERBERA JAMESONI (African Daisy)

Perennials, requiring a warm sunny situation, with well-drained light soil. In cold climates the plants should be protected in the winter season. For a special article on their cultivation see Yates' Garden Guide. H.P.—D.E.



New Hybrids—These are hybrids of the favorite Gerbera Jamesoni, and include a great range of colors, from pure white through shades of pale yellow, red and salmon to orange-rose, scarlet and crimson. The flowers are well formed and borne on long strong stems, making them admirably suitable for all kinds of floral decoration. Unfortunately, we have found by experimenting that this seed loses its power of germinating four months after ripening. We have a plantation of them at our Concord Nursery, and supply freshly gathered seed. When sold out we reserve orders until a further supply of fresh seed is gathered ... 1 6

We also offer plants—Price 1s. 6d. each, 16s. doz.

GESNERA These are allied to the Gloxinia, and require similar treatment in growing and raising from seed, but are winter bloomers. They can only be successfully grown in a glasshouse, or in semi-tropical climates they would do in a bush-house. They flower the first year from seed if well grown, and, when in full bloom, are exceedingly beautiful. For cultivation see Yates' Garden Guide. H.H.P.—D.

Very Choice—Mixed; 9 in. ... 1 6

GEUM COCCINEUM Very pretty and showy perennial border plants. They are especially suited to our cooler districts, but also do very well in Sydney. Sow in the autumn. H.P.—C.



Lady Stratheden—We have pleasure in offering this new introduction after being tested out at Yates' English Trial Grounds. It is almost identical with Mrs. Bradshaw in all but color. It carries the same large flowers on well branching plants. The flowers are semi-double and of a bright golden-yellow, and are carried in great profusion ... 1 0

Tango—A new and pleasing shade which is sure to become very popular with lovers of this showy perennial ... 1 0



Mrs. Bradshaw—Large brick-red, semi-double flowers on long stems, free flowering, much the best red variety ... 0 6

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS.

GLADIOLI The seed we offer is saved from best Packet named sorts as well as from vigorous seedlings selected for color, size of bloom, and substance. Gladioli are easily raised from seed, blooming the second year if given a little attention. C.

Yates' Giant Hybrids—Beautiful shades ... 1 0

We can also supply bulbs in season. See Bulb pages

GLOBE AMARANTH (*Gomphrena*) Very pretty bushy everlasting; make a good show throughout the summer; hardy annuals. Splendid for massing in beds or for ribbon borders; 12 inches high. Sow in autumn or spring. A.

Purple ... 0 6

Mixed Colors ... 0 6

Large Bulk Packets—Mixed or separate colors 1 0

GLOXINIA Lovely glasshouse bulbous plants, which, in climates such as Sydney or in warmer districts, do well in the bush-house, cool frame or glasshouse. The seed should be sown in the spring or summer under glass in pans. For special instructions see Yates' Garden Guide. D.

We also offer the Bulbs, see Bulb pages.



Yates' Prize Strain—A very choice mixture of all classes, saved from named varieties.

Our strain cannot be excelled for exhibition, they are dwarf and compact in habit and contain a wonderful assortment of colors. Small pkt., 1s. 6d 2 6

GLORY PEA, Brazilian—See *Sesbania Tripetii*.

GLORY PEA, New Zealand—See *Clianthus Puniceus*

GODETIA Very pretty hardy annual border plants. In the warmer districts they should be planted in the autumn for spring flowering; they are most easily raised. The dwarf compact varieties make splendid bedding plants. H.A.—A.

Crimson Glow—Is smothered with flowers of a dazzling rosy crimson; dwarf and compact ... 0 6

Duchess of Albany—Pure white; 12 in. 3d. & 0 6

Gloriosa—Dark red, compact dwarf plant ... 0 6

Lady Albermarle—Brilliant crimson; 12 in. 3d. & 0 6

New Lavender—A very choice variety of a charming shade ... 1 0

Schamini—Semi-double, light pink and crimson 0 6

Sunset—One of the brightest colored of all varieties, a fiery crimson; compact habit ... 0 6

The Bride—White and crimson; 12 in. 3d. & 0 6

White Pearl—Pure white ... 0 6

Fine Mixed—Many shades ... 0 3

GOLDEN MOSS—See *Pyrethrum Aureum Laciniatum*

GOURDS—See Creepers, page 76.

GOMPHRENA—See *Globe Amaranth*.

GRASSES, ORNAMENTAL—We offer COLLECTIONS of these, see pages 33 and 75.

GYPSOPHILA (*Fairy Grass*) Hardy graceful border plants, splendid for cutting for bouquets, and the best and most graceful foliage to mix with Sweet Peas or other flowers, the effect of the small white Gypsophila is like a veiling over the brighter and larger flowers, they are best treated as annuals, and sown in the autumn. Every bud will open in water. This should be much more largely grown in Australian gardens. H.P. and H.A.—A.



Elegans—White, rose, or mixed; hardy annual flowers, earlier than *Paniculata*; 2ft. each 0 6



Elegans, Grandiflora—Rather larger than the above, very graceful; 2ft. ... 0 6

Paniculata—White; hardy perennial; 2 ft. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. variety per ½-oz. 1 6

HELIANTHUS—(See Sunflower).

Packet

HELIOTROPE (*Cherry Pie*) Hardy perennials. They are readily raised from seed, which should be sown in a pan under shelter. Their fragrant blossoms are produced nearly the whole year round. H.P.—C.E.

We are cataloging the following improved varieties of Giant-Flowered Heliotropes:

Triomphe de Leige, Reine Marguerita, Regale, Roi des Noirs, White Lady—These comprise the leading and best varieties. We will supply each distinct, or in mixture ... C 6

COLLECTION of four varieties ... 1 6

HELYCHRYSUM (*Straw Flower*) Hardy annual everlastings; handsome border plants, also suitable for cutting. Sow in the autumn or spring. H.A.—A.

The following are of the large-flowered type:

Album—Pure white ... 0 6

All Shades—Mixed colors, white to crimson ... 0 3

HOLLYHOCK (*Althæa*) Hardy perennial border plants, very stately and highly decorative in mixed borders or in groups. They are one of the representative flowers of the old English cottage gardens. Sow in the autumn in a frame or sheltered seed bed. H.P.—C.F.



Yates' Derwent Strain—This is a very select strain saved from a specially fine assortment of Double Hollyhocks. The large spikes of double flowers are of brilliant coloring and add a delightful old world touch to the garden 1 0

Mixed (single and double) — A good selection of colors; 6 ft. ... 0 6

HONESTY (*Lunaria*) A handsome spring flowering border biennial. The shining silvery seed pods are much prized for winter decorations. H.B.—A.

Mixed Colors — Purple and white; 18 in. ... 0 6

HUNNEMANNIA (*Mexican Poppy*) A lovely dwarf perennial from Mexico. The seeds should be sown thinly, either in the autumn or spring, in the permanent beds, as this plant will not stand transplanting. They are very suitable for cutting, as they last long in water, and are very decorative. Do not overwater them and choose a warm sunny position. H.P.—B.E.

Fumariaefolia—Glowing yellow, single flowers, not unlike the Iceland Poppies, fine for massing; 9 inches ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 1 6

HORNED PANSY—See *Viola Cornuta* at foot of Pansy page.

IMPATIENS (*Sultan's Balsam*) Lovely bush-house plants, very attractive for house decoration or summer bedding; half-hardy perennial. Sow in the autumn or spring in seed pan or box. H.H.P.—C.

Holstii, New Hybrids—Mixed colors, including brilliant scarlet, dark velvety violet, and pure white; large graceful flowers; 18 ins. ... 1 0

IPOMOEA (varieties)—See Creepers, page 76.

IPOMOPSIS Hardy biennial border plants, with long spikes of bloom. Sow in the autumn. H.B.—A.

Mixed Colors—Dazzling orange and scarlet; 2ft. 0 6

JOSEPH'S COAT—See *Amaranthus*, Tri-color improved.

KOCHIA TRICOPHYLLA (CHILDSII)

(*The Mock or Summer Cypress*). We catalogued this handsome annual for some years but it is only lately that garden folk are appreciating the great decorative effect to be obtained by the judicious use of this Cypress-like plant. It is grown for its ornamental foliage and shapely habit of growth. By mid-summer it has attained a height of two to three feet and a pleasing pyramidal shape, and of a vivid bright green shade which changes to a rich russet-crimson in the autumn. H.A.—A. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼ ounce ... 1 0

LANTERN FLOWER—See *Abutilon*.

LATHYRUS—See *Peas Everlasting*, page 60.

ARTHUR YATES & Co. Limited

LARKSPUR (Annual Delphinium) Very pretty hardy border annuals; they should be sown in the autumn or early spring. They will make a grand show of bloom the following spring and summer. The following are the Improved Large Flowered varieties. These plants are useful for poisoning grasshoppers and locusts. H.A.—A.

TALL BRANCHING STOCK FLOWERED VARIETIES.

This tall growing branching class is the best for cut flowers and for large borders, and is in great demand by florists. They grow about 2½ feet high. We offer the following colors separately as being particularly attractive.



Exquisite—This charming new Larkspur is a beautiful soft pink. A color much in favor for cut flower work ... 1 0
per ½ oz. 3 0



Amethyst Blue—Regarded by those who have grown it, as one of the finest and most beautiful Larkspurs yet introduced. The color is a pure Amethyst blue. The plants are vigorous and well branched; flowers produced on splendid spikes, and individually large and shapely. Supply limited ... 1 0
per ½ oz. 3 0



Mauve Beauty—Of similar habit to the above, but the blooms are clear mauve. A variety of great beauty. Supply limited ... 1 0
per ½ oz. 3 0



Lustrous Carmine—A rich glowing shade ... 0 6
per ½ oz. 1 0



Blue—Deep rich color ... 0 6
per ½ oz. 1 0



Rosy Scarlet—A superb shade, very showy ... 0 6
per ½ oz. 1 0

Mixed Colors—Many choice shades. Small packets 3d. 0 6
Collection of four separate colors including two extra choice at 1s. packet ... 2 6

DWARF VARIETIES.

Dwarf Rocket (Hyacinth Flowered)—Mixed colors, extra fine, suitable for bedding and massing; 18 in. Small pkt. 3d. ... 0 6

Collection of six separate colors ... 1 3

For gardens, parks, etc., above varieties, per ½-oz. ... 3 0

For **Perennial Larkspur**—See Delphinium, p. 50.

LINUM (Flax) One of the showiest hardy annuals; an old favorite. Sow in the autumn. H.A.—A.

Grandiflorum Coccineum—Glowing crimson; 12 in. ... 0 3

LINARIA (Toad Flax) A very pretty family of graceful plants, thriving in dry hot situations, and resembling in appearance miniature Antirrhinums. They do remarkably well in rockeries and dry borders exposed to the sun. They succeed best sown in the autumn. H.A.—A.E.



Moroccana Excelsior Hybrids—A very choice strain, and a great improvement on the old form. Linaria or Toad Flax is becoming very popular for edgings, massing, and when cut, for bunching. We urge those who have not grown this annual to try it out this season. The results will please. 0 9
For large gardens, parks, etc., ¼ oz. ... 1 6

Maroccana Hybrids Mixed—Various shades of yellow, purple, carmine and white, hardy annual, 12 in. ... 0 6

Reticulata—Showy hardy annual, with yellow and dark violet flowers, plant in group for best effect; 9 in. ... 0 6



Larkspur—Amethyst Blue

LEPTOSYNE (Great Winter Flowering Yellow Marguerite) Hardy annual. It has brilliant light yellow flowers, very suitable for massing in borders, the plants being literally covered with great numbers of bright flowers, making it strikingly effective. They do best sown in the autumn for winter and early spring blooming, thus giving a plentiful supply of blooms when other yellow flowers are scarce. Excellent for cutting. It is easily raised from seed, and comes very rapidly into bloom. H.A.—A.

Maritima—Deep yellow; 2 ft., small packets 3d. ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼ oz. ... 2 0

LOBELIA Lovely bedding plants. They should be raised in a seed pan, under glass, in the autumn, and planted out when frosts are over. Half-hardy annuals. H.A.—C.F.

Mrs. Clibran—A distinct variety. It is dwarf, growing only four inches high, with compact growth, and in color the flowers are a deep bright violet-blue, with distinct white eye; splendid bedding variety, one of the very best ... 1 0

Crystal Palace, Compacta—Dark rich blue, one of the most beautiful plants for carpet bedding or ribbon borders, with dark foliage; 4 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., 1/16-oz. ... 2 0

Erinus Speciosa—Azure blue; 4 inches. ... 0 6

LOVE IN A MIST—See Nigella.

LOPHOSPERMUM—See Creepers, page 76

LYCHNIS ARKWRIGHTII This hardy herbaceous border plant is a result of a cross between *Lychnis Chalcedonica* and *Lychnis Haageana*. It blooms throughout the summer in great profusion; the flowers varying from orange-scarlet to soft salmon-pink. H.P.C. ... 1 0

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LUPINS A handsome family of hardy annuals and perennials. They are most effective border plants, giving a great variety of color. They have again come into great favor, but should be even more largely grown. The newer varieties are of great beauty and delicacy of coloring. Sow in the open borders; they do not readily transplant. Make the main sowing in early autumn to ensure winter blooms. Additional sowings may be made right through until August for successional flowering. H.A. and H.P. B.



NEW HYBRID LUPINS

Hybridists have been working on these Lupins and during the last few years have supplied the Horticultural World with some charming Hybrids. We offer the following with our highest recommendation. They will make a wonderful display and provide continuous cut blooms over a long period, early sown seed commencing to flower during the winter months in such climates as Sydney, while later sowings will still be blooming in the early summer months. See cultural directions above. The flowers must be kept cut, blooming ceases if seed pods are allowed to form. Protect well from slugs and snails when plants are young; when the centre flower spike appears, cut this right out to encourage the side growths and nice bushy plants with a further big crop of flower spikes.

Although the plants may in some cases last more than one season we strongly advise that they be treated as annuals, the results being surer and more satisfactory.

White Pearl—A fine white selection from Packet Pink Pearl, and has all the good qualities of that variety. ... 0 6

Pink Pearl—Shell-pink shading to lighter pink at top with a dainty golden spot on back petal. 2 ft. ... per packet 0 6

Mauve Tints—Mauve Pink, a shade which will be popular in Lupins. ... 0 6

Blue Gem—Of similar habit to Pink Pearl. The color is a rich deep blue with orange-yellow centre. Very striking. This is the blue variety now so popular with florists and flower growers in Sydney and Melbourne. 2 ft. ... per packet, 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above varieties, ... per ounce 5 0

The above have longer and finer spikes than are usual with annual varieties and in addition have a delightful fragrance.

COLLECTION—One packet each of the four above varieties ... 1 6

New Hybrid Polyphyllus—These are hybrids of the Tree Lupin and the old herbaceous Garden Lupin, combining the characteristics of each. They are grand hardy border plants producing long handsome spikes in many beautiful shades of color. They should be sown early to bloom the first year, but they will make their best showing the second year from seed. 3 ft. ... per packet, 1 0

ANNUAL VARIETIES

Albo Coccinea—White and scarlet; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Atro Coccinea—Deep scarlet; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Insignis—Dark red; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Superbus—Lilac, yellow, and white; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Yellow, 2 ft. ... 0 6

Hartwigii—Blue; 18 in. ... 0 6

Nanus—Blue and white, beautiful little Lupins. Very hardy and dwarf; 12 in. ... 0 6

Mixed Annual Lupins—Suitable for bedding, all colors ... 0 3

COLLECTION of six annual varieties ... 2 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., Annual varieties, per ½-ounce ... 2 0



Lupin: Pink Pearl

PERENNIAL VARIETIES

Packet

For flowering the following spring sow early, in February or March.

Arboreus, Snow Queen (Tree Lupin)—A giant variety of perennial Lupins. They form large bushes and are covered with spikes of lovely white flowers ... 0 6

Polyphyllus (Old Garden Lupin)—Mixed colors, large spikes of flowers, borne in great profusion, herbaceous ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above, per ½-oz. ... 4 0

MANDEVILLEA SUAVEOLENS—Creepers, p. 76

MARGUERITE, Yellow Winter Flowering—See Leptosyne.

MARIGOLD (Tagetes) Old favorite hardy annuals. Very effective in mixed borders, and the dwarf varieties are particularly good for bedding. Sow in the spring or autumn. H.A.—A.



African Type—(Tall)

Orange Prince (Fistulosa)—Glowing orange, well formed, extra quilled, large blooms ... 1 0

Lemon Queen (Fistulosa)—Similar to above but an attractive shade of lemon-yellow ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., above sorts, ½-oz. 6 0

Orange Beauty (Imbricata)—Full and double ... 0 6

Lemon Beauty (Imbricata)—Large double blooms ... 0 6

African Tall Double Mixed ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ½ ounce ... 2 0

FRENCH TYPE.

French Tall Double—Mixed yellow and brown striped; 2 ft. ... 0 3

French Dwarf, Double—Mixed yellow and brown; 12 in. ... 0 6

French Legion of Honor—Dwarf, compact; 12 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each variety, ½-oz. 1 6

MARIGOLD, English or Pot—See Calendula, p. 44

MATHIOLA BICORNIS (Night-Scented Stock) Hardy annual. A very interesting and pretty lilac flower; after a shower or in the evening they emit a delightful perfume. They should be scattered about the garden; 1 ft. H.A.—A. ... 0 6

MAURANDIA (varieties)—See Creepers, page 76.

MEXICAN POPPY—See Hunnemannia.

MEDEOLA ASPARAGOIDES (Smilax) A beautiful trailing plant, is easily raised from seed and is particularly suitable for growing in hanging baskets or up a dwarf trellis. Largely used for florists' work. It rivals the Asparagus as a decorative foliage plant. H.P.—C. 0 6

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MIMULUS (Monkey Flower)

A beautiful family of perennials; hardy in moist cool climates, but in warm districts are best grown as annuals for early spring blooming. The flowers are finely blotched and marked. Sow in the autumn and treat the same as Pansy. They should be grown in the shade and protected from hot winds; they require a moist situation, where they will give a magnificent show of bloom. In hot climates they make excellent bush-house plants. H.P.—C.F.G.



Yates' Large-Flowered Hybrids—A splendid new strain of Hybrid Mimulus, very large flowered and blotched with various shades of pink, red, and copper. The markings are most varied and beautiful. Some of the flowers are covered with small splashes of color, while others are superbly marked with blotches of large size and fantastic shape. Small pkt. 6d

1 0
Tigrinus Hybridus—Mixed. This includes half-a-dozen of the best named varieties, with the most varied and distinct colors and markings; 6 in. 0 6
Hose-in-Hose—Charming double variety; tigered and spotted ... 0 6

MINA LOBATA—See Creepers, page 76



MIGNONETTE

(Reseda) These old favorites are hardy annuals, and may be sown either in the autumn or spring in the borders they are to occupy; they do not transplant well. As the seed often misses, it is advisable to make two sowings from each packet at a short interval. The perfume is strongest when they are grown on poor soil. H.A.—B.

Packet



Yates' Selected Large-Flowering—Large spikes, of all shades from yellow to crimson 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ounce, 4 0
per 1/4-ounce 2 6

Goliath—A new giant flowering variety, with enormous trusses of double red flowers; the plant has a sturdy branching habit. A very striking variety ... 0 3



Yates' Special Florists Strain, Crimson Machet—Has enormous spikes, an extra special stock ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/4-ounce ... 4 0
per ounce 7 0
per 1/4-lb. 20 0

Machet—Crimson, dwarf, compact; good ordinary stock ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/4-oz. ... 3 0

Golden Machet—Yellow compact variety ... 0 6

Orange Queen—Deep brick red flowers, richly scented ... 0 6

Giant Pyramidal—Very large and upright; very desirable ... 0 6

Old Large-Flowering—Very sweet scented ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ounce, 2 6
per ounce 1 6

NEMOPHILA

Pretty dwarf hardy annuals, suitable for borders. Sow in the autumn. H.A.—A.

Insignis—Blue flowers, with white centres; 6 in. 0 3

Maculata—White, blotched with violet; 6 in. ... 0 3

NICOTIANA

(Tobacco Plant) A lovely border plant, with tubular flowers, which are very fragrant. Half-hardy annuals. Sow in late spring. H.H.A.—C.E.

Affinis—The best white variety; 3ft. ... 0 6

Hybrida Sanderæ—These contain a variety of rose and carmine shades ... 0 6

NIEREMBERGIA

(Cupflower) Hardy perennial. A constant bloomer, charming for open borders. We strongly recommend this plant, which should be more largely grown. Sow in the autumn. H.P.—C.E.

Gracilis—Lilac and white flowers; 18 in. ... 0 6

MOCK CYPRESS—See Kochia.

MORNING GLORY—See Convolvulus.

MONKEY FLOWER—See Mimulus.

MUSK

(Mimulus Moschatus) Owing to the difficulty of obtaining reliable seed and to the small demand, we have discontinued stocking this for the present.

MYOSOTIS—See Forget-me-not.

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

NASTURTITIUM (*Tropaeolum*) Very valuable bedding plants which give a wonderful show of bloom throughout the spring. They flower best on poor dry land, and should be sown in the autumn or early spring. The sorts we offer are the latest improved varieties. They are quite hardy except in cold climates, where they can only be sown in the spring. H.H.A.—A.

CLIMBING VARIETIES.

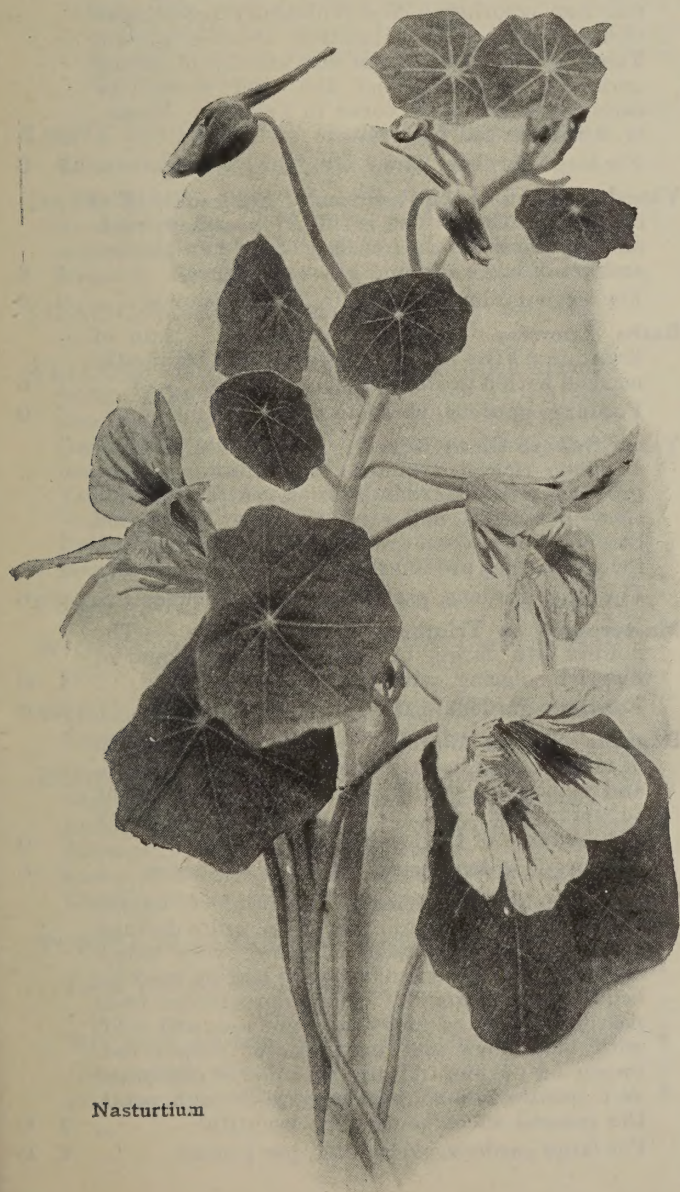


Yates' Matchless Mixture of Climbing Nasturtiums—The colors are very brilliant and varied, embracing maroon, salmon, clear yellow, striped, and many other tints; the foliage varies from light green to the rich dark foliage of Empress of India. For covering a trellis or unsightly object they cannot be excelled ... 0 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ounce ... 2 6

Tall Lobbianum—These are amongst the prettiest of all the climbing or trailing varieties, the colors being rich and the plants not so vigorous, so that they do not over-run other things.

Firefly, Lucifer, Marguerite, Cardinal, Brilliant, Black Prince, Roi des Noirs, Asa Gray, Primrose, and Mixed Varieties... each ... 0 6
Collection of six distinct varieties ... 2 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., named varieties or mixed, per ounce ... 1 6
Tall or Climbing—Mixed colors ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ounce ... 1 0



Nasturtium



TOM THUMB OR DWARF VARIETIES.

Dwarf Lobbianum, Lilliput—A charming race of very dwarf Nasturtiums; the flowers and leaves are small, but the colors are extremely brilliant and range from yellow and deep red to almost black; extremely free blooming ... 0 6

Dwarf Chameleon—A variety which produces flowers of most diversified colors on each single plant ... 0 6

Dwarf Queen—The flowers are scarlet, and set well above the distinct silvery variegated foliage. They are very dwarf and compact, and are very effective if planted along with Dwarf Chameleon and Lobbianum Lilliput Nasturtiums in alternate masses ... 0 6

Scarlet—Pretty, very effective; 12 in. ... 0 6

Crimson—Useful for cutting; 12 in. ... 0 6

King—Scarlet, dark handsome foliage; 12 in. ... 0 6

King Theodore—Very dark flowers and foliage; 12 in. ... 0 6

Golden King—Bright yellow, very fine; 12 in. ... 0 6

Crystal Palace Gem—Sulphur; 12 in. ... 0 6

Empress of India—Deep crimson; 12 in. ... 0 6

Ruby King—Crimson-rose; 12 in. ... 0 6

Mixed—All the most beautiful colors; 12 in. ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., mixed per ounce 1 0

" " " " " named per ounce ... 1 6

COLLECTION of six distinct varieties ... 2 0

NEMESIA A charming annual from South Africa, with pretty flowers of various colors, ranging from white to yellow, orange, brown, and crimson, and many other shades. The plants are hardy and should be sown in the late summer or early autumn. They will then, in mild climates, bloom in the winter and spring in the open borders, making a good display. Very suitable for clumps and edgings. H.A.—C.E.

For best results with *Nemesia*, sow in February and again in August for Summer blooming in such climates as Sydney.

Nemesia Strumosa, Extra Selected Large-Flowered—This beautiful annual is a great favorite. The flowers are very large and of the most brilliant colors, and the strain is exceedingly fine and includes the following colors: orange, creamy white, carmine, red, scarlet, and striped, all mixed ... 0 6

Blue Gem (*nana compacta*) — Flowers are a delightful soft azure blue. For edgings, for small beds or for massing along the front of borders, this is one of the most lovely little plants we have ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., above sorts 1/16-oz. 3 0

Grandiflora Compacta—Very dwarf, suitable for edgings... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. above per 1/16-oz. 1 0

NIGELLA (*Lov's In a Mist*)—Hardy annuals, pretty and interesting. Old English border flowers, very suitable for cutting. Sow in the autumn or early spring. H.A.—A.F.

Miss Jekyl—A great improvement on the old *Damascena*; the flowers are double and of a beautiful deep blue shade; very suitable either for border decoration or cutting ... 0 6

YATES' GIANT EXHIBITION AND GARDEN PANSIES

We believe that our Giant Pansies are unequalled for size, coloring, and markings. For exhibition purposes there are no finer strains offered. We list two separate classes—Yates' Giant Exhibition and Garden Pansies, which have the finest and most beautiful flowers; and Bedding Pansies, which, as a rule, have much smaller flowers but are more floriferous, have pure colors, and are much more effective for planting in masses and ribbon borders. We would strongly recommend our customers to plant both classes—the Giant Pansies for exhibition and for cutting, and the Bedding Varieties for border decoration. Sow in prepared seed beds in late summer and autumn. The choicer strains of Pansies are highly bred and both the raising of seed and the after care of the plants require special attention. See Yates' Garden Guide for further information on their cultivation.



SPECIAL COLLECTION
OF

YATES' GIANT PANSIES

One Packet each of Twelve Varieties
(our selection) For 5/- Post free.



YATES' GIANT EXHIBITION AND GARDEN PANSIES

Packet

Yates' Special Exhibition—A mixture of all our best "Show" strains, specially selected for exhibition purposes. They give large blooms with good substance, regular markings, and full rich colorings. We confidently recommend these as the best exhibition Pansies grown. These choice Pansies are not usually of strong germinating power, and the seed should be carefully sown under cover in February, March, or April for the best results ... 2 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 7 6

Yates' Superb Large French Stained—The coloring of the flowers is full, rich, and decided, and embraces all the loveliest of the new shades, and are of large size and great substance ... 1 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 6 0

Baths' Empress—A well-known English strain of Exhibition Five-Blotched Pansies, most brilliantly marked with a great variety of coloring ... 1 6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 6 0

Yates' Superb Giant Mixed—Our special mixture of the richest colored and most vigorous growing Giant Garden Pansies. Although (for show purposes) not equal to the Exhibition Strains they make a grand show in the borders, for which they are unexcelled ... 1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 3 6

Masterpiece or Triumph of the Giants—The flowers are large, of great substance, and of fine rich coloring, with frilled edges... 1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 2 0

Bugnots' Superb Blotched—A magnificent strain of mixed colors, mostly tending to yellow, brown, and mahogany shades. The flowers have great substance and size, and are characterised by rich blotches of the loveliest deep colors ... 1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 2 6

Superb Orchid-Flowering—A strain of unique colored Fancy or Bedding Pansies, quite distinct from the older varieties. They very much resemble the Violas, which are so largely used for bedding in England. The colors range from pearly yellows and greys to bright reds and gold, with blotchings and markings of deeper red, brown or purple, the ground color is continued as a narrow rim round the edge of each petal, the general effect being very beautiful ... 1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/32-ounce ... 6 0



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GIANT EXHIBITION AND GARDEN PANSIES—Cont.

	Packet	
Cassiers' Large Flowered Blotched and Stained —One of the large flowered blotched Pansies; the coloring is rich and varied, and includes all the blue and purple shades so much admired ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 7 0		
Ne Plus Ultra —A mixture of named and other varieties which do not appear in the other strains we offer ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 3 6		
Odier or Large Stained —A fine strain of three and five blotched Pansies, of great richness and variety of color ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 7 0		

	Packet	
Trimardeau or Giant —Mixed colors. These are large flowered Pansies and give a large range of colors and bloom very early ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 3 0		
Yellow Giant —The largest yellow, with large black eye. A remarkably showy Pansy ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 4 0		
White Giant —Similar to the Yellow Giant, but with white ground; very striking color ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 4 0		
Fancy Belgian —A mixture of shades which do not come in the other mixed strains offered; they range from pearly greys and blue shades to deep reds and browns ... 0 6 For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ... 3 6		
Good Mixed —Containing a good assortment of color ... 0 3		

Mr. A. D. F.

Grenfell.

I grew two packets of your 1s. Pansies last year, and gained First Prizes everywhere I exhibited. They were a beautiful lot, only two plants alike, and they were beautiful dark ones.



YATES' BEDDING PANSIES



Many of these are classed in England as Violas. Planted in masses in large clumps or in ribbon borders, these give a magnificent show in spring. Their colors are so bright and they yield such a wealth of bloom that they give a greater brilliance to the borders than any plant we know. The blooms are not so large as the ordinary Pansies, but are of strong, compact, upright habit. We strongly recommend that they be used more in Australian gardens. To enable growers to plan out color schemes we have classified them as follows:—

	Packet
LIGHT BLUES: Fairy Queen —Margined white. Adonis —Slaty-blue.	
DARK BLUES: Lord Beaconsfield —Shading to lavender. Emperor William —Bright blue, darker centre, yellow eye. Quadricolor —Shading to lavender. Azure Blue —Dark purple, blue facing.	
LILAC Coquette de Poissy —Lavender, with yellow eye.	
YELLOW AND ORANGE: Apricot —Rich apricot-yellow. Diana —Primrose, shading to yellow; dark pencilling. Aurea Pura —Rich deep yellow. Daybreak —Golden-yellow, brown and orange markings. Sunlight —Rich yellow, tinted brown. Yellow —Blackeye. Auriculiflora —Yellow ground brown pencillings. Cassiers Chestnut Brown —Buttercup-yellow, brown blotches. Prince Bismarck —Tawny-yellow, dark centre.	

PURE WHITE: Candidissima—A favorite variety.

WHITE GROUND: Comet—White, tinted lavender yellow eye.

WHITE, with PURPLE BLOTCHES: President Carnot—White ground, dark purple blotch.

REDS, AND BROWN-REDS AND MAHOGANY: Victoria—Claret, with darker centre. **Rubra**—Small flowers, rich color. **Gold Margined**—Mahogany, edged yellow. **Aurora**—Cinnabar-red and golden-chamois. **Brown and Red Shades**—Reddish-brown, with yellow eye.

PURPLE BLACK (King of the Blacks)—Very dark.

Each Variety, per packet ...	0 6
" " bulk packet ...	1 0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce ...	4 0
COLLECTION of six varieties (our selection) ...	2 0
COLLECTION of twelve varieties (our selection) ...	3 6

Mrs. J. D———, Terowie, S.A. 15/11/23
I am very grateful to you for the good Pansy Seed you supplied me with. They have been a great success and have scored when I have exhibited them.

Mrs. E. L———, Young.
I have had great success with other seeds I received from you, my Sweet Peas were beautiful and the Pansies are coming out lovely, the New Zealand Glory Pea I am having great luck with.

VIOLA CORNUTA

(Horned Pansy)

These are now one of the fashionable bedding plants and every keen gardener will want to share in the pleasure and brightness they provide. They are similar to Bedding Pansies, but flowers are smaller. This is a very hardy class and remarkably free flowering and long lasting. The flowering season is longer than any of the Pansies, thus for bedding and border work they are of great value in our climate.

Papilio —Soft lavender-purple, lower petals flushed white ...	0 6
Admiration —Bright blue ...	0 6
Mauve Queen —Starry mauve flowers, very profuse, comes into bloom later than others. ...	0 6
Blue Perfection —Light blue ...	0 6
White Perfection —A splendid white ...	0 6
Rosea —Rosy-lilac ...	0 6
Lutea Splendens —Large yellow ...	0 6
COLLECTION of six varieties (our selection) ...	2 6
Bulk packet, each variety or mixed ...	1 0

PASSION FRUIT VINE—See Creepers, page 76.

PELARGONIUM Saved from the best named varieties only. Sown in seed pans, under glass, they will bloom the following year. Half-hardy perennial. D.

Choice, Stage, Show and Fancy—Mixed colors 2 0

Zonale—Saved from named varieties. Mixed colors ... 1 6

PENTSTEMON Extra choice handsome hardy perennial; splendid for borders, where they bloom continually through the spring, summer, and autumn. They should be sown in the autumn. H.P.—C.

Large-Flowered Hybrids—A very brilliant, large-flowered strain; mixed colors ... 1 0

PEA, EVERLASTING (The Perennial Pea) Most attractive dwarf creepers, or they may be grown as border plants by tying to a stake; excellent for cut bloom. Sow in autumn or spring. H.P.—A.

Rose or White—Separately, each ... 0 6

Mixed—Containing each of the above ... 0 6

Lathyrus, Pubescens (Argentina Perennial Pea)—A magnificent, vigorous growing, climbing, or trailing perennial pea, literally covered with long spikes of the most lovely pale violet flowers during the spring; splendid for cutting ... 0 6

PETUNIA CULTIVATION—When growing the better strains of Petunias offered here, it will be found that a small proportion, usually amongst the first to flower, are of inferior types; these should be discarded. In Double Petunias from seed seventy five per cent. of the plants will be found to be singles, usually of a very select type. Choice Strains of Petunias are particularly subject to reversion.

All the choicest seed is hand-fertilized—these strains do not set seed naturally—this makes the seed very costly to produce. They are half-hardy perennials (except in warm climates), and may be sown either in the greenhouse in the autumn or winter, or in the open in a prepared seed bed or box in late spring. Take care that the young seedlings are not too shaded and so become drawn. They will continue in bloom during the driest and hottest weather. See Yates' Garden Guide, post free, 1s. for further cultural directions. H.P.—A.E.

YATES' GIANT FLOWERED SINGLE AND DOUBLE PETUNIAS. FOR BEDDING OR GROWING IN POTS.

Yates' Superb Exhibition and Fancy Mixed Single (Superbissima Grandiflora)—A large flowered strain of great substance, bearing a profusion of flowers, with wide open beautifully veined throats. The flowers are blotched and marked in many rich dark and delicate light shades. A distinct class, perhaps the best of the large flowered Petunias for outdoor cultivation; Very suitable for exhibition. Small packet, 1s. 6d. 2 6

Extra large packets for extensive bedding ... 5 0

Yates' Superb Quadricolor, Single (Superbissima Grandiflora)—A remarkably beautiful addition to these popular plants. The bright rose-colored flowers are veined with a network of carmine merging to blood-red at the throat, a large proportion having beautiful yellow markings radiating from the centre. This strain gives a profusion of fine large flowers of great substance and in a variety of colors. Small packet, 1s. 6d. 2 6

Yates' Large Flowered, Single Fringed (Grandiflora)—All the finest fringed varieties in mixture. It is, we believe, the finest strain in cultivation ... 1 6

SPECIAL COLLECTION—One packet each of the previous three varieties, 4s. 6d.

Packet

The best strain of Petunias for BEDDING, MASSING, and all BROAD EFFECTS.



Single Grandiflora, Mixed Colors—

We have specialised in these and now offer a very superior strain with the largest size of blooms, and wonderful colors. These are the large-flowered self colors, not the extra large Superbissima class and should not be confused with the latter, but for massing in beds are superior.

We offer the following six distinct colors, specially suited for massing:—

Crimson White	Purple-Blue Veined	Brilliant Rose Striped
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Each color ... small packet, 6d. 1 0

All colors, mixed ... small packets 6d. 1 0

SPECIAL COLLECTION—1 packet each, six colors 2 0

Large packet in separate colors or mixed ... 3 0

Packet

Single Giants of California—A good large flowered strain from U.S.A. ... 1 0



Double, Finest Large Flowered, Yates' Superb Mixed Strain—Assorted colors; the finest fringed and plain edged varieties mixed.

There is no finer strain in existence. A proportion only of these will come double, the others being the large single. In transplanting take extra care of the weaker growing plants, as they are almost invariably the double ones. The Plain Edged and Fringed Section can be supplied separately if required ... 2 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., bulk packet ... 5 0

SMALL FLOWERING BEDDING PETUNIAS.

Nana Erecta Violacea—A wonderful acquisition to the dwarf group. Very compact, free flowering, blooms deep violet ... 1 0

Nana Erecta Rosy Morn—Pink with white throat 1 0

Inimitable, Single Dwarf—Of compact bushy habit, flowers blotched and striped, splendid for borders, pots and window culture ... 0 6

Single—Mixed colors. A good strain for border planting, giving a large assortment of colors ... 0 3

Single, Inimitable—Striped and blotched. Good for borders ... 0 3

PHYSALIS FRANCHETI (Chinese Lantern Plant or Winter Cherry) A showy annual, growing two feet high, the seed pods are extremely ornamental in the autumn; they change from brilliant yellow to scarlet, resembling a small lantern. An edible variety of Cape Gooseberry. H.H.A.—C. ... 0 6

PHYSIANTHUS ALBENS—See Creepers, page 77.

PINCUSHION FLOWER—See Scabiosa.

PLATYCODON (Chinese Bell Flower) A dwarf perennial Campanula-like plant, with blue and white bell-shaped flowers, growing one foot high and blooming most profusely all the summer. A lovely little border plant; sow in the autumn. H.P.—C.

Dwarf, Large-Flowered Single—Mixed blue and white ... 0 6

Dwarf, Large-Flowered Double—Beautiful blue 1 0

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS.



Yates' Superb
Double Potunias

PHASEOLUS CARACALLA—See Creepers, page 77

PHLOX DRUMMONDI This is one of the prettiest annuals grown. They continue in bloom till late in autumn, and for summer bedding are unequalled, their brilliant and varied colors keeping the garden gay throughout the summer. In cold climates, spring sowing is recommended. In warm climates, where little frosts are experienced, sow any time from early spring on to the autumn. They delight in a sunny border. H.A.—A.E. Packet

NOTE—RE TRANSPLANTING PHLOX.

It is most important that seedling Phlox plants be transplanted when quite small, say in the third or fourth leaf. They fail to produce good flowering plants if allowed to get "leggy" before being put out.



Yates' Derwent Phlox, Mixed Colors—

This is a very fine strain of the largest flowered section. It contains all the most effective and beautiful colors ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 7 0



Yates' Dwarf, Large-Flowered, Mixed—

These are much dwarfer, compact, and more bushy than the Derwent strain. The colors are particularly rich and harmonious, ranging from rich reds to crimson and purple shades. We strongly recommend them for the edging of small beds. Small packet, 6d. ... 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 7 0

PHLOX DRUMMONDI—Continued. Packet
Yates' Large-Flowered, in Separate Colors—For bedding. We can offer the following; they are the most distinct and effective colors for massing.
Splendens—Bright red, white centre.
Brilliant—Light rose, shading to dark in centre.
Buff and Yellow Tints.
Rosy Chamois—White centre.
Dark Crimson.
White. Rose—With white eye.
Crimson—With rosy white centre.
Salmon Pink and others, separately or mixed, each ... 0 6

COLLECTION of six separate colors ... 2 0

For large gardens, parks, per ¼-ounce... 6 0

Yates' Star Phlox, Mixed (Cuspidata and Stellata)—These are not quite so showy as the above, but are very curious and beautiful, and are well worth a place in the borders ... 0 6

For large gardens, etc., per ¼-oz. ... 3 6

Phlox Drummondii, Mixed—Good mixture colors ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 4 0

POINCIANA (Bird of Paradise Flower)
A sub-tropical shrub, which does well in warm climates. It grows from four to six feet high, with graceful Mimosa-like foliage, and bears an abundance of the most graceful and curious yellow flowers, with red anthers, which gives the plant its popular name. Soak the seed before planting. H.H.P.—A.

Gillesii—The hardiest and best variety 0 6

POOR MAN'S ORCHID—

See Schizanthus.

POLYANTHUS Lovely spring flowering border plants. Sow in a cool, moist, shady bed in the autumn, and, when large enough transplant. They will bloom the following spring. H.P.—C.F.G.



Yates' Extra Selected—This is a mixture of the large-flowered type in the following colors: white, yellow, and crimson. They are beautiful plants for spring blooming, very easily raised from seed, and flower the first year if sown in the early autumn. The new white and yellow types are particularly effective ... 1 0

Gold Laced—Saved from finest exhibition varieties ... 0 6

Good Mixed—A good assortment of colors ... 0 6

PORTULACA Lovely half-hardy annuals. Flowers of the most gorgeous coloring. They thrive in dry warm situations, and are invaluable for summer bedding. Sow in the late spring in a nursery bed, and, as soon as they are large enough to handle, transplant into the borders, or, better still, sow thinly in the borders. They will flower in the very hottest weather. H.H.A.—A.E.

Double Mixed—A fine strain of most dazzling colors; 4 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-oz. ... 2 0

Single, Finest Mixed—Contains all the most striking colors Small packet 3d. 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 0

ARTHUR YATES & Co. Limited

POPPIES Poppies have been very fashionable of late years, and have been greatly improved. The seeds offered are of the newest and best varieties. They should be sown in the autumn in cool and moist climates, also in early spring. Sow thinly in the open borders where intended to flower, as they do not transplant well. When cut, Poppies will last much longer in water if the ends of the stems are burnt. H.A. and H.P.—E.F.



Yates' Queen Poppies—A magnificent strain of Double Poppies raised by our English house. They are selected from a very choice strain of Double Shirley Poppy by eliminating all except the very choicest double flowers and most brilliant colors. Many of them resemble the very finest Double Begonias, others are like Hollyhook flowers, the centres being surrounded by a row of guard petals. The colors range from pure white and blush to rich crimson, hardly two being alike, and many showing a distinct Picotee edge. The finest strain of Double Poppies in cultivation. Small packet, 6d. 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce 1 6



Shirley Poppy, American Legion—

An enormous new single Shirley of a dazzling orange scarlet. Flowers are borne in long stout stems and the plants are erect, and of robust growth, per packet 0 9

Shirley Re-selected—The seed we offer has been re-selected and is a highly improved strain. The colors extend from purest white, through every shade of pink and rose, to deep crimson. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz. ... 1 0

Mikado—The flowers are pure white, with crimson edge, the petals are deeply fringed ... 0 6

Mephisto—Scarlet, black spots ... 0 6

Peony Flowered Admiral—Single flowering with large round smooth-edged flowers of pure white, edged with a broad band of brilliant scarlet ... 0 6

Yates' Selected Oriental Hybrids—The blooms are nearly as large as Peonies and are of all the tints of scarlet, crimson and salmon, with large black blotches in the centre of the flower. They succeed best in a cool climate. Hardy perennial ... 1 0

J. E. G——, Esq., Grehamstown, Blayney, 11/3/24

I have on four different occasions entered flowers grown from your "Crown" Collection of Sweet Peas at local Flower Shows and secured first prize whenever entered.



Glaucum (The Tulip Poppy)—Very pretty, bright scarlet flower, similar in shape to a Tulip. H.A. 0 6

Dwarf French—Mixed colors. Pretty strain of hardy annual Poppies ... 0 3

Carnation Flowered—Mixed colors; hardy annual ... 0 3

Danebrog (Danish Flag)—Single, brilliant scarlet, spotted white. Hardy annual ... 0 6

Umbrosum—Single flowers, golden vermillion, black spots in centre. Hardy annual ... 0 6

COLLECTION of eight varieties of annual Poppies (excluding Iceland Poppies) ... 2 0

Mr. S. B——, Brighton, Victoria, 18/3/24

I was very successful with a packet of Double Petunia from you. I have 60 odd plants which contain a good percentage of Doubles and which are much admired.

Mrs. A. E. B——, E. Geelong, Victoria.

Our garden is a picture at present, with Asters—your Crego Strain. The blooms are very large and the colors are beautiful; the admiration of all our neighbours.



ICELAND POPPY

(PAPAVER
NUDICAULE)

These are some of the most popular flowers in Australian gardens. We strongly recommend them for all districts. Where severe winters are experienced, they may be sown in March, or early spring, but in warm climates we suggest January and February as the best for first sowings, they will then bloom in the winter and early spring. Successive sowings will provide blooms through the spring months. Unlike most of the Poppies, this variety can be sown in boxes, pans or nursery beds and then transplanted, or if preferred they can be sown direct in the borders. Iceland Poppies are particularly suited for house and table decoration, the reddish and orange tints being most artistic; if the ends of the stems are burnt as soon as they are gathered they will last for many days in water. The colors range from white and yellow to orange, including many beautiful intermediate tints and art shades. Some of the forms are double or semi-double, and all are very beautiful. In our climate these Poppies are best treated as annuals.

Packet

Yates' New Art Shades Sunset

Hybrids—Many new tints of the most artistic shades of lemon, pale orange, rose, terra-cotta, etc. Large bulk packet 2s. 6d. ... 1 0

Yates' Rose Tints — A new selection; delicate pale rose, deeper on the outside of petals. Large bulk packet 2s. 6d. ... 1 0

Yates' Double Mixed—Double and semi-double blooms, all shades. Large bulk packet 2s. 6d. ... 1 0

Sunbeam Poppies—A distinctive strain of Iceland Poppies, giving larger blooms on extra long stems and of robust habit; mixed colors. They take two to four weeks longer to bloom than the Iceland Poppies, so should not be planted late. Large bulk packet 2s. 6d. ... 1 0

COLLECTION of one ordinary packet each of above four varieties ... 3 0

Yates' Fine Mixed — Single; all colors ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz. ... 5 0
per $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz. ... 3 0



Packet

PRIMROSE

These require the same treatment as the Polyanthus, but are more partial to shade, and, if possible, should be planted under a south wall in stiff soil; if protected from hot winds and kept moist they will thrive even in our warmer districts, and give a grand show of bloom in the early spring. They are hardy perennials. The seed is slow to germinate; sow in the early autumn. H.H.P.—C.F.G.

Hybrida, Finest Colored—Single, and of various shades ... 1 0

Yellow—The old favorite Primrose of England. ... 0 6

Blue—A very choice selected strain of these beautiful spring flowers; of an attractive shade of color ... 1 0

New French Hybrids—A vigorous growing cross between the Polyanthus and the Primrose. The flowers are very large and the colors brilliant ... 1 0

Packet

PYRETHRUM A very beautiful class of hardy perennials. Sow in light soil in the autumn or spring. H.P.—C.F.

Aureum (Golden Feather)—Splendid bedding plant, golden yellow foliage, unrivalled for borders; 6 in. ... 0 3

Aureum Laciniatum (Golden Moss)—Finely cut golden foliage, dwarf and compact ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., both varieties per $\frac{1}{4}$ -ounce ... 1 0

Hybridum Roseum, Single and Double—Mixed. Marguerite-like flowers, excellent for cutting; suitable for cool moist climates only. All shades of rose and lilac. 2 ft. ... 1

ARTHUR YATES & Co. Limited

Packet

PRIMULAS Bush-house or green-house perennials, with the exception of *P. Malacoides*, which thrives excellently in the open border. Sow in summer and autumn, under glass, and keep shaded till the seeds are up, when they can be transplanted into thumb pots, afterwards re-pot as they increase in size; these plants thrive much better if grown in a southerly aspect, where they get little or no sun. Primulas are one of the best early spring flowering green-house, or, in warm climates, bush-house plants. For cultivation see Yates' Garden Guide. H.H.P.—D.



Malacoides — Undoubtedly one of the best of recent introductions, and has proved itself wonderfully adapted to our climate. Treated as an annual in the open ground and sown in the late summer and early autumn, it blooms to perfection in winter and early spring when flowers are generally scarce. It is equally suitable as a pot plant for house or table decoration, or for the open borders or for massing in small beds. We have greatly improved this variety by selection and can offer our own saved seed in two colors: rosy lavender shades and white, the former have the finer blooms

... ..	0	6
For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{16}$ ounce	2	6



P. Sinensis Alba Magnifica



Sinensis Fimbriata, Yates' Superb — Mixed colors. Choicest English saved, a remarkably fine strain and highly recommended for exhibition; they will give a splendid range of colors and flowers of immense size 2 6

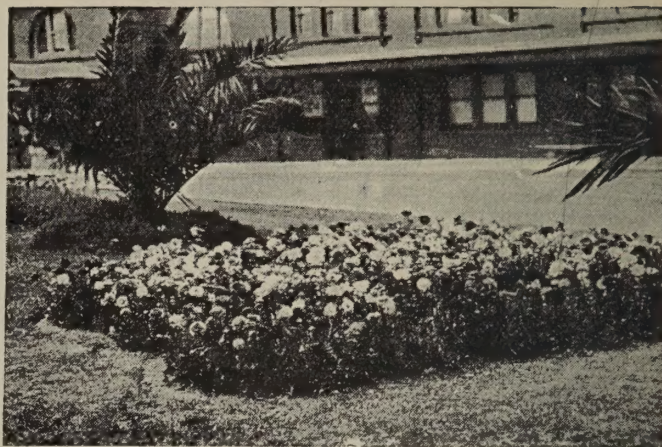
Sinensis Fimbriata, La Duchesse — A large flowering variety, with beautiful pure white blooms, each bloom having a bright crimson eye 1 6

Sinensis, Alba Magnifica — Splendid large flowered white, with yellow eye; very large ... 1 6

Sinensis, Ruby Queen — Bright glowing crimson 1 6

Japonica (Mrs. Scott Elliott's Strain) — Hardy herbaceous perennial; requires shade and a cool climate 1 0

Obconica, Large Flowered — This is a very handsome Primula and a great improvement on the old variety, the flowers are nearly double the size and the colors range from pure white to deep rose; some of the flowers are fringed 1 0



Bed of Giant French Ranunculus

RANUNCULUS ASIATICUS

Packet

Sow in January for preference, though later will do, transplanting the little bulbets in the autumn into their permanent positions, or we can supply the bulbs ready grown during the autumn (see Bulb pages). H.P.—C.



Yates' Superb Mixed — The flowers are single, semi-double and double, and the colors range from the purest lemon-yellow, through the most varied and beautiful tints of orange, salmon pink and scarlet to deep glowing crimson; no two flowers are alike, and the various tints are blended together most harmoniously.

Small packet, 6d. 1 0



Giant French Mixed — A remarkably profuse flowering strain, giving large double and semi-double blooms in great variety of form and coloring. Seed sown early will make flowering bulbs the following spring. Small pkt. 6d

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. variety per $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz. 2 6



Primula Obconica

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

REHMANNIA ANGULATA Herbaceous biennial from Central China, with large, and handsome foliage. The long-tubed, Gloxinia-like flowers appear at the axis of the leaves, they are three inches across, bright rosy purple, with yellow throat spotted and striped with purple; 3 ft. H.B.—C.

RHODANTHE Pretty everlasting, with drooping flowers. They are hardy annuals, but do best sown in spring; 12 in. H.A.—A.

Manglesii —Rose	...	...	...	...	0	3
Maculata —Rose, crimson spots	...	...	...	...	0	3
„ Alba-white	...	...	...	...	0	3
„ Mixed colors	...	...	...	...	0	3
For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. variety per $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz	1	0				



RICINUS (Castor Oil Plant) Handsome, sub-tropical, border plants; the varieties we offer are the handsomest yet introduced. Sow in late spring.

H.H.A.—A.

Zanzibariensis —Gigantic green leaves, white ribs	0	6
Gibsoni —Rich dark red foliage	0	6
Sanguineus —Deep red dish leaves	0	6
Africanus —The old large variety	0	6
COLLECTION of four varieties	1	6

SALPIGLOSSIS One of the most beautiful of all our annuals. The improved varieties which we offer have brought this plant rapidly into favor, and they are now one of the most popular flowers for summer bedding and for cutting. The gorgeous colors, and rich and varied markings of Salpiglossis, are not equalled by any other flowers. They are half-hardy, and, except in warm climates, should be sown in the spring. They must not suffer from drought. H.H.A.—C.E.

Yates' Emperor, Derwent Strain—An improved strain of the large flowered varieties; mixed colors

Grandiflora, Large-Flowered—Mixed; splendid strain of the richest and most attractive colors; 2 ft

COLLECTION of six of the best distinct varieties

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. var. per 1/16-oz.

Packet

SALVIA (Sage) Handsome, free flowering, perennial border plants. The seed should be sown in early spring under glass, or in late spring in nursery beds. They like a sunny, well-drained border. It is much the best plan to raise seedlings each year and discard the old plants. H.P.—C.E.

NOTE.—All Salvias should have the leader "pinched out" when dwarf habit is desired.

Splendens, Improved Scarlet—A handsome fiery Scarlet Salvia, producing a profusion of extra long flower spikes through the summer and winter months. The plant forms dense bushes, well branched from the base, literally a blaze of intense color. Showy and effective in the open border; 3 ft.

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce

Bonfire (Improved)—A darker variety than Splendens, both in flowers and foliage, the flowers being dark crimson and giving usually heavy spikes of bloom. Is as hardy as Splendens; 3 ft.

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce

Hollandi—Has a much dwarfer habit than either Splendens or Bonfire, and the flowers are not so deep in color; we can best describe it as light scarlet. It is also not quite so hardy. A grand variety for massing in the borders; 18 in.

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce

Farinacea—This variety grows about the same height as Splendens, but is a delicate Wedgwood blue, with white eye on the lip, and has handsome foliage. We strongly recommend it for massing or occasional planting in the open borders; planted alongside the Scarlet Salvia the effect is brilliant

For large gardens, parks, etc., per $\frac{1}{8}$ -ounce



ARTHUR YATES & Co. Limited

SCABIOSA (Pin Cushion) Very pretty annual and perennial border plants; they are also useful for cutting. The annual varieties have been much improved, the flowers are larger and the colors much more brilliant than the old type. Sow in the autumn or early spring. H.A. and H.P.—A.E.

Large Flowered, Azure Fairy—This is a very lovely new color in the Annual Scabious. We can best describe it as a rich pale blue ... 0 6

Double White—Large flowered hardy annual; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Large Flowered Double—Mixed colors, all shades; 2 ft. ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., any of above per ¼-ounce ... 1 6

Caucasica—One of the most beautiful of the hardy perennials. The flowers, which will last in water for a week, are of a most lovely lilac tint; only suitable for cool climates; 2 ft. ... 1 0

SCHIZANTHUS WISETONENSIS

(Poor Man's Orchid)

A beautiful hardy annual, rapidly becoming very popular for border plants, for massing, edgings, and for pot work. The unique butterfly-like flowers never fail to excite the greatest interest and admiration, hence the title "The Poor Man's Orchid." The flowers are of curious shape and produced in great variety of charming colors and markings. For pot plants, for bush-house or green-house, it is a capital thing. It is quite hardy and should be sown in late summer or early autumn, either in pans or nursery beds for subsequent transplanting, or directly in the permanent borders where they should afterwards be thinned to three to four inches apart. The other varieties offered, *Retusus* and *Pinnatus*, are very pretty, but the *Wisetonensis* New Hybrids are specially recommended. H.A.—A.

Wisetonensis New Hybrids—Compact habit, large flowers; 16 in. ... 1 0

OTHER VARIETIES OF SCHIZANTHUS

Retusus—Mixed, pretty border plants; 18 in. ... 0 6

Pinnatus—Mixed, for borders; 18 in. ... 0 6

Mixed—Red and blue mixed ... 0 3

SESBANIA TRIPETII (Brazilian Glory Pea)

A magnificent flowering shrub, native to Brazil and Argentine. It is a shapely shrub growing to a height of 9 ft. or more, and covered with very graceful Mimosa-like foliage. It has a long flowering season, usually from the middle of October to about the middle of March. The flowers are carried in bunches or racemes, and are a most delightful shade of orange-scarlet or "Tango." It is a perennial and will flower within a year of sowing the seed. It should be raised in seed-bed or seed-box, being very hard the seeds take some time to germinate. Transplant just as soon as large enough, so that the tap root be not injured. Being a legume, and thus deep rooting, it does not rob the surrounding ground and is very charming in the centre of circular beds, etc. H.P.—A. ... 1 6

SEA LAVENDER—See *Statice*.

SHASTA DAISY—See *Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum Excelsior*, page 46.

SMILAX—See *Medeola Asparagoides*.

SNAPDRAGON—See *Antirrhinum*.

SOLANUM SEAFORTHIANUM—Vines, page 77.

STATICE (Sea Lavender) The different varieties of these handsome everlasting flowers are being grown very largely in England for florists' use; they are extremely decorative and will last a very long time when cut and dried; as border plants they are also very handsome. They are of the easiest cultivation. Sow in the autumn or early spring. H.P.—A

Bonduelli—Lovely yellow shade, hardy annual; 18 in. ... 0 6

Sinuata Hybrida—White, yellow, and blue, hardy annual; 18 in. ... 0 6

Incana—Dwarf, small flowered, mixed red shades; hardy perennial ... 0 6

NOVELTY.



SCABIOSA COLUMBARIA.

We offer for 1924 a new perennial Scabious which promises to become one of our most favored garden subjects. *Scabiosa Columbaria* is a South African form of this handsome species and its compelling charm lies in its coloring, which is hard to describe. At present we have two varieties, one a poor delicate mauve and the other a deep rosy-mauve almost a rose. The flowers are beautifully formed like *S. Caucasica*, and are from two to two-and-a-half inches across. The foliage is decorative and this new-comer can be recommended in every way for cutting and garden decoration. Each color 1/6 packet.



STREPTOCARPUS (Cape Primrose) A lovely plant for pot culture in bush-house or cool greenhouse. Sown in the autumn or early spring, under glass, they will bloom the following summer. P.—D.

New Hybrids—An exceptionally choice strain of the improved *Streptocarpus*. The large trumpet-shaped flowers are all tints of lavender, purple and rose, to pure white; 9 in. ... 1 6

STOCK, Night Scented—See *Mathiola Bicornis*.

STRAWFLOWER—See *Helychrysum*.

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

STOCKS

Except in very cold climates these should be sown in late summer and early autumn, and will then bloom the following spring. Stocks are very impatient of wet, undrained land, and care should be taken not to over water them. They like a sunny position. The Ten-Week and also the Nice Giant Early Flowering varieties may also be sown in the spring in cool, moist climates for summer flowering. H.B. and H.A.—C.



EARLY FLOWERING NICE GIANT OR BEAUTY STOCKS.

For Winter and Spring Flowering

RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

From a noted French Raiser and under his descriptions.

Glory of Australia—Velvety blackish-violet, large spikes, very vigorous ... 1 0

King Albert of Belgium—An uncommon shade of garnet-brown, large ... 1 0

Souvenir de L. Bruning—Tall and strong growing, a superb shade of bright red ... 1 0

Aimee Mas—Rosy white, like apple blossoms, large flowers, vigorous plant ... 1 0

COLLECTION one packet each above four ... 3 0

Roi Alphonse XIII.—A very fine large, new double yellow (Nice Type) stock, free flowering and of rather tall habit ... 0 9

President Woodrow Wilson—A new color in the Nice type of Stocks, the large flowers are of a violet-slate tint. After cutting will give a further crop of flowers ... 0 9

Giant Fire Red—Large, free flowering variety; a continuous bloomer if cut ... 0 9

Glorious—A magnificent new Nice Giant Stock, of a beautiful shade of buff yellow or fawn, large blooms, plants of good branching habit; 2 ft. ... 0 9

Minister Lloyd George—A tall blood-red Stock, well branched and very floriferous ... 0 9

COLLECTION of one packet each four recent introductions (our selection) ... 2 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. var. per 1/16-oz. 4 0

Beauty of Nice, Pymble Branching—Rather more branched than the old variety, extremely vigorous grower, and rather brighter in color ... 0 6

Beauty of Nice—A beautiful tall branching winter Stock. The flowers are particularly large and of good form, very fragrant, and of a delicate shade of fleshy pink. These lovely Stocks are very early, and usually give from 60 to 75 per cent. perfect double flowers ... 0 6

Monte Carlo—The same as Beauty of Nice, except its color, which is a beautiful yellow; a valuable addition to this class; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Queen Alexandra—The flowers are of a delicate rosy lilac, a tint of incomparable beauty, and exquisitely fragrant; 18 in. ... 0 6

Bella Napoli—Very showy, fine spikes of large well formed flowers of rich terracotta pink; 2 ft. ... 0 6

Almond Blossom—The long fragrant trusses of very large flowers are of delicate white, shad'g to carmine; 2ft ... 0 6

Pride of Kellar—Color, a heliotrope-blue; 2 ft. 0 6

Bianca—Has magnificent heads of pure white flowers ... 0 6

Monaco Crimson—Brilliant crimson, very showy 0 6

Giant, Deep Lilac—An admirable new color. Produces huge spikes thickly studded with large blooms of a beautiful deep lilac shade ... 0 6

New Violet—A very rich new shade, bearing long spikes of beautiful large blossoms ... 0 6

Stock, Early Flowering Nice Giant, Mixed—A splendid mixture of all colors. Small packets, 6d. 1 0

COLLECTION of twelve separate colors (our selection) ... 3 6

COLLECTION, six sep. colors (our selection) 2 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above twelve varieties per 1/16-ounce ... 2 6
per 1/8-ounce ... 4 0

DOUBLE BRANCHING TEN-WEEK STOCKS.

Similar in habit and season of flowering to the Early Nice Giant Stocks.

Giant Perfection, Large Flowered Ten Week—Mixed. A splendid variety of the tall branching perpetual Stock, producing an abundance of fragrant bloom in many lovely shades of color; one of the best for cutting; 18 in. ... 0 6

COLLECTION of twelve separate colors ... 3 6

COLLECTION of six separate colors ... 2 0

Princess Alice, Ten-Week—Pure white, with large spikes, splendid for cutting; 18 in. ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ea. above per 1/16-oz. ... 2 6
per 1/8-oz. 4 0

Ten-Week, Mixed—Contains many lovely shades and will produce a good proportion of double flowers. Small packet, ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce ... 1 6

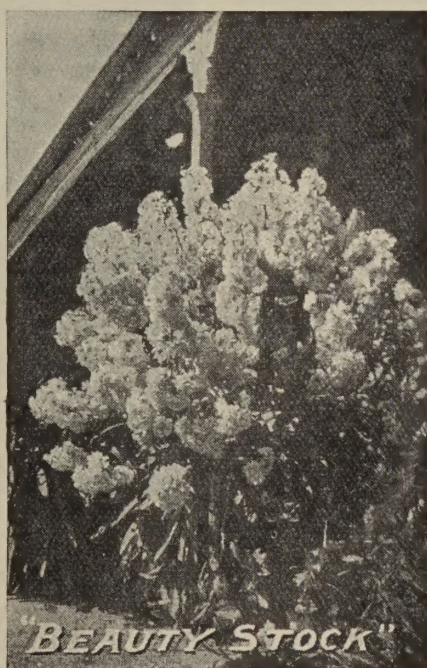
BROMPTON STOCKS.

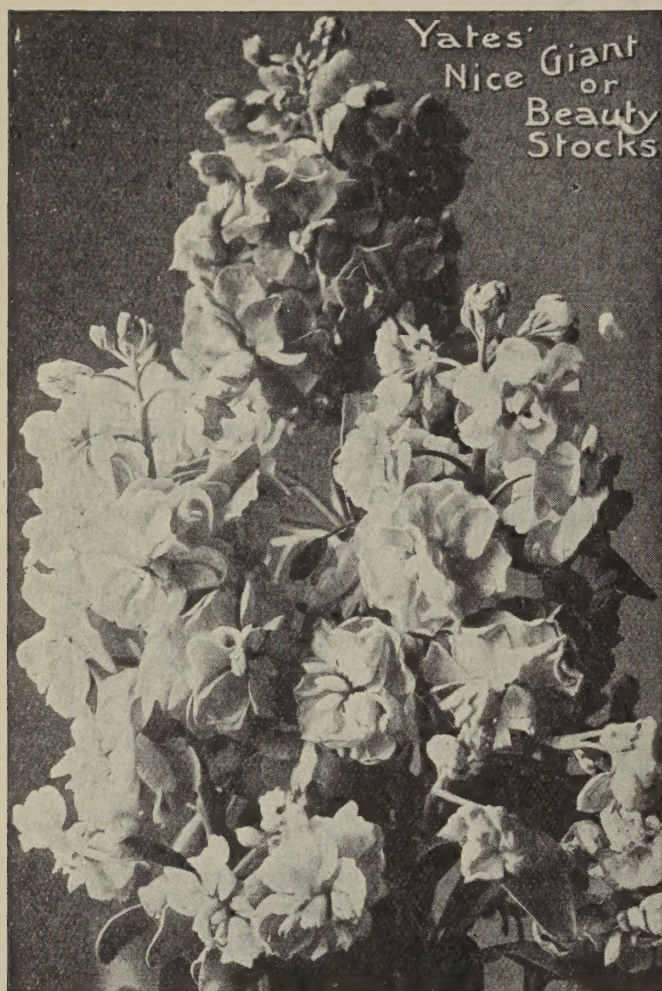
These are Late Flowering Varieties and should be sown in the summer, and will bloom the following spring and summer. They are biennials.

Double Brompton—Mixed. These produce fine spikes of large bloom in a good range of color. Will give a good percentage of doubles ... 0 6

COLLECTION of six distinct varieties 2 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., per 1/16-ounce 3 6





SUNFLOWERS Splendid hardy annual border Packet
plants. No flowers are more
decorative or ornamental than these all varieties should be
grown. Sow in the autumn or early spring. H.A.—C.E.

Red Sunflower (Concord Selected)—This is the
nearest approach to a Red Sunflower. It is simi-
lar to the large single Sunflower, but the dark
centre of the flower is surrounded by a band of
purple or chestnut-red, the tips of the petals
showing the original yellow ... 0 6

Concord Primrose and Purple Shades—A beauti-
ful new selection from the Red Sunflower. The
petals are of a delicate cream or primrose shade,
and the centre of the flower is surrounded by a
ring of rich wine-red shade; a charming combi-
nation of coloring ... 0 6

Tall Single—Yellow, good for planting at back of
borders; 5 ft. ... 0 3

Primrose Colored—Charming variety; very
pretty; 5 ft. ... 0 6

Argophyllus—Bright silver foliage, single yellow
flowers; 5 ft. ... 0 6

Globosus—Very large double flowers; 5 ft. ... 0 6

Large Russian—Seeds grown for fowl feed; it is
also a stately plant for large borders ... 0 3

Price for quantity on application.

SUNFLOWERS (continued)—

We have grouped the following dwarf growing
varieties together for those who prefer them.

Concord Dwarf, Red Shades—Very handsome Packet
variety, especially for cut flowers. The plants
are semi-dwarf and carry a great profusion of red
shaded Gaillardia like blooms. Looks splendid
interspersed with the ordinary yellow miniature 0 6

Miniature—Pretty dwarf single variety, suitable
for bouquets; one of the best annuals; 3 ft. ... 0 3
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 1 6

Miniature, in Named Varieties—We offer the
following; all 3 ft.:

Nanus Compactus—Dwarf and compact ... 0 6

Diadem—Large, light citron flowers ... 0 6

Orion—New, with crisped petals ... 0 6

Stella—Extra large flowers ... 0 6

COLLECTION of four varieties ... 1 6

Dwarf, Double—Dwarfer variety, than Globosus,
most desirable ... 0 6

SULTAN'S BALSAM—See Impatiens.

SWAN RIVER DAISY—See Brachycome.

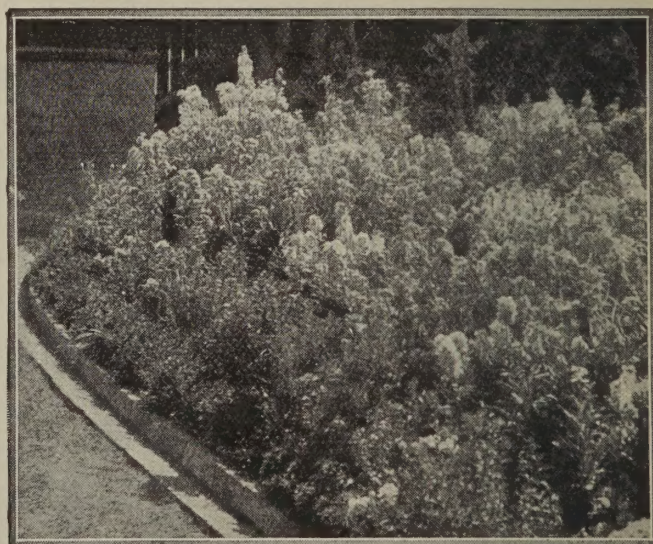
SWEET SULTAN—See Centaurea Moschata.

SWEET WILLIAM (*Dianthus Barbatus*) A
favorite old-fashioned
perennial, very effective in mixed borders. If sown in the
autumn they will bloom the following spring. H.P.—A.

Splendid Mixed—All colors and markings. We are
specializing in these at our Tasmanian Seed
Farm. We have secured the latest and finest of
the English varieties, including Pink Beauty and
Scarlet Beauty. For cool climates no flowers are
more showy than these improved Sweet Williams

Small packet, 3d. 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce ... 1 6



A BED OF STOCKS
IS A THING OF BEAUTY.

See page 67 for the best of present-day varieties.

Yates' Choice Sweet Peas

Early Flowering Varieties.

NOVELTIES FOR 1924

And Noteworthy Recent Introductions.

As we have previously pointed out the introduction by us of Yarrawa Spencer and the evolution of its hybrids is the basis on which all the present day Early Flowering Sweet Peas are founded. Among those who quickly recognised the great value of Yarrawa, were the leading American hybridists and there are now a large number of American raised varieties. The following list include some of the very best of the varieties just introduced. The descriptions are those of the raisers (with the exception of Glitters and Grenadier.) For Special Collections see below.

Burpee's Orange—Glowing orange without trace of pink. 1s.

Cheerful—A soft cheerful shade of Begonia pink, pure throughout. A very favorite shade. 1s.

Chevalier—A particularly pleasing rose self, excellent for bunching, very large. 1s.

Glitters—In our trials this proved to be a really decided acquisition. The color is a rich, reddish-orange, which does not burn readily—a magnificent variety. 1s.

Grenadier—This also is a magnificent variety. According to our trials it is by far the finest true scarlet variety yet introduced. 9d.

King Tut—A charming pastel shade of light rose-pink. 1s.

Miss Spokane—Standard is peach-red and wings bright scarlet, blending when bunched into rich orange-scarlet. 1s.

Mrs. Kerr—Described by raisers as the best early flowering salmon. Bold well-placed flowers. 1s.

Purity—Claimed to be the purest of any white in the early section. Blooms are produced four on a stem, and are distinctly waved. 1s.

Quaker Lady—A new lavender of great distinction and decided merit. 1s.

Rose Dore—Rose-pink, suffused salmon, orange, well-placed flowers. 1s.

SPECIAL OFFER OF ABOVE NOVELTIES.

SIX VARIETIES	(Our Selection)	4/6	} All post free.
NINE VARIETIES	(Our Selection)	6/-	

YATES' AUSTRALIAN EARLY FLOWERING SWEET PEAS DO WELL IN
HONG KONG, CHINA.

Mr. C. E. H. Beavis, Hong Kong, China

Your Early Flowering Sweet Peas are now well known here and greatly admired, as no doubt you appreciate from the orders you receive.

FOR SUMMER OR LATE FLOWERING PLANTS, SEE PAGE 73.



SWEET PEAS

*"There are Sweet Peas on tiptoe for a flight
With wings of gentle flush o'er delicate white
And taper fingers catching at all things
To bind them all about with tiny wings."*

—Keats.

SELECT LIST OF AUSTRALIAN EARLY FLOWERING VARIETIES

AND A FEW OF THE BEST OF THE AMERICAN SORTS.

FOR Australian gardens there are few flowers that can give so much pleasure and provide such a bountiful return of fragrant bloom as the Australian Early Flowering Sweet Peas.

Sown at intervals through the late summer, autumn and early spring, these "quick flowering" varieties may be had in bloom for about eight months out of the twelve. We recommend growers in all except the colder districts to sow only these Early Flowering sorts; they will give infinitely more satisfactory results than the Summer or Late Flowering varieties, and the range of color now obtainable is all that can be desired.

Throughout our Commonwealth, in the East in China and India, in South Africa, and other similar countries, where the Late Summer Flowering varieties prove so disappointing, Early Flowering Sweet Peas are proving a most gratifying success and a source of much pleasure and profit to those who are growing them.

The following List includes our famous "Concord" Varieties (which achieved considerable success at the Adelaide Trials), together with the best productions of other Australian growers, which have been re-selected and grown on our own farms. This List is the result of extensive trials, carried out at our Trial Grounds and elsewhere, and the descriptions are for the most part made from our field notes.

Each per Packet, 6d. (except where specially priced).

WHITE AND VERY LIGHT SHADES

Snowbird—A fine pure white Spencer. It is of true Yarrawa form, of good size, and is carried in threes and fours on good stems.

Daisy Motte—A beautiful pure white, large and of the best Spencer form.

All White—Produces up to four gigantic blooms on very long stems. Strongly recommended.

Madonna—This is an early Constance Hinton. It is a black seeded white of remarkable opaque whiteness and large size.

Queensland White—A pure white, of good size and form.

Concord Delicata—The color is almost pure white, the standard being very faintly tinted blush, passing to white with age.

Concord Charm—The standard is white, tinted or stained very light heliotrope; the wings are a lighter tint, being almost white. A very captivating variety.

Concord Daybreak—On opening, the bud is cream with standard heavily edged buff-pink, changing to almost white with a faint rosy edging.

Lovely—Blush-white, fading to white.

CREAM, FLUSHED CREAM AND CREAMY PINK SHADES

Cream Beauty—Color is a rich cream throughout, and the blooms, borne three and four on a stem, are of the greatest substance, perfect Spencer form and splendid size.

Aglaia Motte—Deep cream, nicely waved.

Champagne—A tawny-pink, very attractive; large blooms, long stems.

Dawnflush—Cream ground, with rosy edging; a very charming variety.

Mrs. May Hassett—Pink on cream ground, beautifully suffused; a very fine variety.

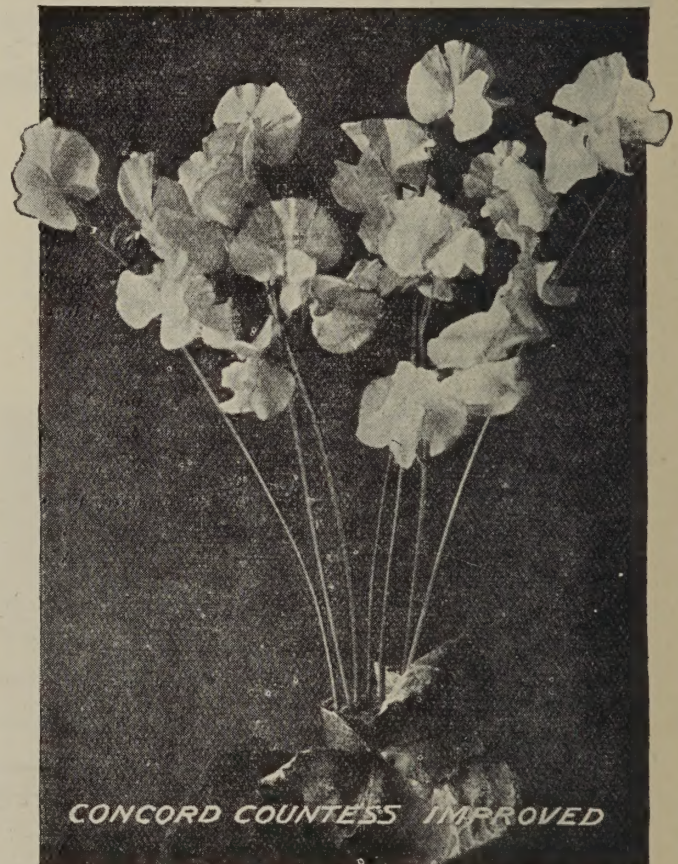
Fascination—Cream with standard flushed a light heliotrope, a beautiful combination.

Toned Cream—Cream with a slight pink suffusion.

Picotée—Creamy white ground with pink edge, very large blooms carried in profusion; many fours.

Marie Cheslyn—A delightful shade of apricot on cream ground.

Concord Exquisite—A rich creamy pink or light apricot shade. Eminently suitable for decorative work.



Mr. J. A. L——, Tamworth 22/10/23

"I may say that from the Sweet Pea Seed you sent me last year, I was able to capture four Prizes—three first and one second, and your Stock Seed I won all the first Prizes—it is the best seed on the market. I won your Medal again. I am pleased with your seed."

SELECTED LIST OF SWEET PEAS

SHADES OF PINK AND BLUSH AND BICOLORS

Concord Countess Improved—As its name implies, this is a larger and grander edition of our Concord Countess. The color, a light blush-pink, with deeper edges. The blooms are carried in threes and fours. A variety we strongly recommend.

Yarrowa—This world-famous variety was the original of Yates' Early Flowering Spencer Strain of Sweet Peas, and in its color it is absolutely the best Early Flowering variety yet sent out. It is of the largest size and great substance, it bears three and sometimes four flowers on splendid long stems and it is most delicately tinted, the standard being a deep rose-pink and the wings soft blush pink. Per ounce, 5s.

Concord Blush Shades—Immense blooms of great substance and of the best Spencer form. Specially suitable for table decoration.

Haidee Motte—After style of Yarrowa, but a "colder" tone.

Yaralla—Blush standard with lighter wings.

Shell Pink—A good pink, rather deeper than Concord Countess Improved.

M. Louisa Goll—Deep pink self. Medium size flowers.

ROSE CERISE AND RED SHADES

Grenadier—See Novelties, page 69.

Concord Superb—A truly magnificent variety, throwing a large proportion of "double standard" blooms. The color is a clear glowing rosy-cerise. The blooms are of largest size, and the standard beautifully frilled and waved, giving the effect of "balls" of color. Both for garden and decorative use we consider this beautiful variety unequalled.

Concord Radiance Improved—A glowing tint of clear rosy-cerise; a very striking color. A first grade variety, the form, substance of bloom, and length of stem are excellent.

Concord Emperor Improved—A rich crimson-red variety, indispensable on account of its glowing color and splendid qualities of size, form, substance, and freedom of flowering.

Thalia Motte—Large and well formed; color bright crimson; a very fine variety.

Pauline—Rich deep crimson, fine for exhibition.

Duchess—A very pretty deep rose-pink. This is a very showy variety and free flowering.

Motte Crimson—Deep, rich coloring; vigorous.

Ruby—A glowing light crimson-scarlet color; a more intense red than others in this section. Flowers of medium size.

Rose Charm—A bright rose with very large blooms, nearly always carried in fours on long stems. Flowers keep their color remarkably well even as they get older.

MAROON AND DARK PURPLE SHADES

Concord Chief—A massive, finely formed bloom, of largest size, intense rich deep maroon, and perfect form; a particularly fine variety for exhibition.

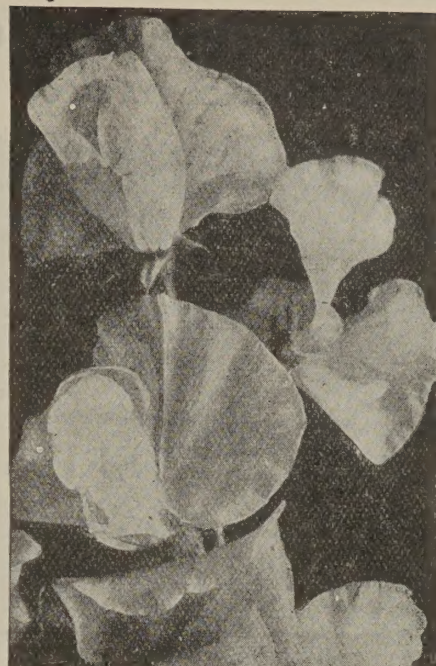
Laura—A very fine dark purple-maroon, the coloring is more purple than Concord Chief. A fine variety; recommended.

Concord Purple—A delightful shade of mauvy-purple, changing as the flower ages, to purple-blue, perfect from.

Motte Purple—A fine variety, distinct shade; many fours. The color is a very attractive shade of deep mauvy-purple.

Motte Plum—Very large massive flowers; excellent for exhibition.

Leonore—Deep purplish-mauve, a rich color.



Concord Charm

SHADES OF LAVENDER, BLUE AND MAUVE

Albury Lavender—A beautiful shade of true lavender size and form excellent.

Asta Ohn—Lavender, suffused mauve, good size.

Niobe—Pale lavender or light blue, excellent in form.

Blue Butterfly—Beautiful sky blue Spencer.

Blanche—A charming shade of lavender.

Concord Winsome—A delightful shade of pink, tinted lavender; The blooms are large and of excellent form.

Phyllis—Deep pink, flushed mauve; fine form.

Concord Mauve Shades—Contains some exceedingly fine mauve and lavender tints.

Mauve Lady—A pretty shade of rosy-mauve, medium size.

Blue Bird—A beautiful shade of blue; well formed bloom.

Moonstone—Standard light purple-blue, with blue wings, the whole changing to silvery blue with age, medium size.

Prince—Very deep rich blue, small bloom.

SALMON AND ORANGE SHADES

Glitters—See Novelties, page 69.

Albury Beauty—One of the best of its color, which is a very fine soft salmon, large size, splendid form.

Salmonia—A rich rosy-salmon variety of distinct color, medium size.

Sunrise—Rosy-salmon, very decorative.

FLAKED AND STRIPED (Assorted Colors).

Donald John Coghill—A magnificent variety, white ground, flaked with rosy-salmon.

Grey Flakes—Almost identical with the variety Senator Spencer in the summer flowering class. Rich chocolate flakes and markings on grey ground.

Pianola—Deep cream, slightly "watered" carmine on wings.

Petunia Flakes—These are very striking.

ARTHUR YATES & CO. LIMITED

YATES' FIRST CHOICE SPENCERS (Mixed)

This magnificent strain of mixed Early Flowering Sweet Peas contains almost all the best of the fine exhibition varieties offered on pages 69-72. The range of color is endless, almost all colors known in Sweet Peas being represented. The blooms are large, beautifully waved in form, and carried on splendid stems. Recommended as the best mixture offered and should be largely planted for decorative effect.

Bulk packet (about 350 seeds), 5s.
Large packet (about 150 seeds), 2s. 6d.
Small packet (about 20 seeds), 6d.

CONCORD HYBRIDS

A good strain of mixed Sweet Peas, per packet 6d., per ounce 4s.

YATES' SELECTED SWEET PEA COLLECTIONS

Those who are not acquainted with the various varieties now offered, do well to take advantage of one or other of these Special Collections. They not only contain much greater value than if varieties are ordered separately, but include a well balanced range of color; from delicate pink, lavender, white and cream to rich maroon and purple, and striking red and rose shades.

YATES' "CHAMPION" COLLECTION

Contains extra special value (about £1 7s. 6d. worth at catalogue rates) and is made up for those who desire to grow as complete a collection as possible of "worth while" varieties. It includes leading sorts raised by ourselves as well as other Australian raisers, also a selection of the best of the American Early Flowering, and a large packet of the world-famed Yarrawa. It is recommended as the best all-round collection offered.

20s. Post Free.

YATES' "STAR" COLLECTION

One packet each (our selection) thirty choice varieties, including many prize-winning sorts, with which we have gained medals and awards at various shows. And a large packet of Yarrawa.

12s. 6d. Post Free.

YATES' "CROWN" COLLECTION

Specially suited for the owners of small gardens who have limited space, but desire to obtain the beautiful color effect of planting in masses, each a distinct shade. This collection includes twelve varieties priced at 6d. (all our selection), together with one packet of Yarrawa Spencer.

5s. Post Free.

Mrs. H. W. Esq., Tumut, 23/10/23
"I had a 5/- Collection of your Sweet Peas and just now reaping the harvest. The blooms are magnificent, and quite the best in Tumut."

CUPID SPENCER SWEET PEAS.

THE FIRST VARIETIES OF A NEW RACE.

The descriptions are those of the raisers.

The untiring labors of the plant hybridist have at last succeeded in combining the large waved Spencer flowers with the very dwarf habit of the Cupid Sweet Peas, and not only this, but in the case of one of the varieties mentioned below, the early flowering strain has also been introduced. We have therefore, much pleasure in offering these introductions, believing they will be of considerable interest to Sweet Pea lovers for borders, edgings, carpet bedding and potwork.

Rosebud (Late Flowering) — A new arrival to this charming group. Of compact habit, not over four inches in height, with creamy apricot blossoms. Packet 1s

Early Flowering Little Nell — A charming variety of true Spencer form and Early Flowering type. It produces four large waved blooms, with pink standard and white wings. They are borne in great profusion on very short stems, the whole plant not growing more than four inches high. It is so covered with blooms as to almost hide the foliage. It blooms considerably earlier than the next variety and has a long flowering season. Packet 1s

Midshipmite (Late Flowering) — Another charming new Spencer Cupid, with flowers edged and suffused violet. Flowers are carried in fours, on very short stems and are large and frilled. This variety grows about four inches high and 18 inches in diameter. Being a shy seeder it blooms nearly the whole season. Packet 1s.

Special Collection — One packet each of the three Cupid varieties, 2s. 6d.

AMERICAN EARLY FLOWERING SWEET PEAS.

(Spencer Type)

Descriptive list of varieties on application.

These are similar to the Australian Early Flowering Sweet Peas. The American hybridists at once grasped the importance of the introduction of the Australian Yarrawa Spencer and have since used it considerably in their "crossings." Many of the varieties produced are very similar to those raised and grown here.

We can supply all the usual colors, separately as named varieties, or in mixture. Each per packet, 6d.

WRITE FOR LEAFLET GIVING HINTS ON
PRODUCING EXHIBITION BLOOMS.

Mrs. A. R. —,

Murrumburrah, 11/1/24

"I have been going to write and tell you how successful we have been this year with Sweet Peas. We took First and Champion here at Harden, and two First at Young Flower Show. Some of the blooms measured three inches across the back, and some stems carried seven and six blooms and many five. Therefore, we got the Bronze Medal awarded by you."

SELECTED LIST OF SWEET PEAS

SWEET PEAS: LATE OR SUMMER FLOWERING SPENCERS

In Tasmania and the cooler parts of Australia the Late or Summer Flowering varieties can be grown with great success. While for the greater part of the Commonwealth we consider the Early Flowering Spencers will give finer results both for winter and summer, there are many growers on the highlands and elsewhere who prefer the Late or Summer Flowering type, and we are, therefore, cataloguing the following sorts, which are representative of the best yet produced.

NOVELTIES FOR 1924.

These do best in the cooler parts of Tasmania, Victoria, and the highlands of N.S.W. In warmer districts we advise planting only the Early Flowering Class

The following descriptions are those of the raisers.

Crimson King—The crowning glory in Sweet Peas. Color is true ox-blood, a pure rich deep crimson throughout, a shade unique in Sweet Peas. 1s.

President Harding—Awarded the only Award of Merit in competition with 105 new seedlings in 1922 English trials. Color brilliant cerise overlaid orange, does not burn. 1s.

Radiance—A pleasing shade of La France pink, deeper in centre and toward edges of standard (will customers when ordering please specify "the New Summer Flowering Radiance" to avoid confusion with Concord Radiance, our well-known Early Flowering Variety.) 1s.

Sapphire—Best described as a bright Delphinium blue, and should be popular. 1s.

Youth—According to the raisers, this variety will be prized as much for its unusually beautiful fragrance as for its undoubted qualities of color, form and size. Youth is an exquisite pink picotee edge on a pure white ground. 1s.

RECENT INTRODUCTIONS.

Lilac Pink—A combination of salmon, amber and pale lilac-pink on cream ground. The wings are slightly deeper in tone. 1s.

Fordhook Orange—A glorious shade of deep rich salmon, heavily suffused with bright orange. 1s.

Honor Bright—The best of the cream-pink sweet peas, of special value for exhibition. 1s.

Giant White—The last word in whites, 9d.

Floradale Purple—Warm, rosy-purple, 9d.

Scarlet Duplex—Scarlet-crimson, many doubles, 9d.

Sunset—Soft, rich rose, with tint of yellow, 9d.

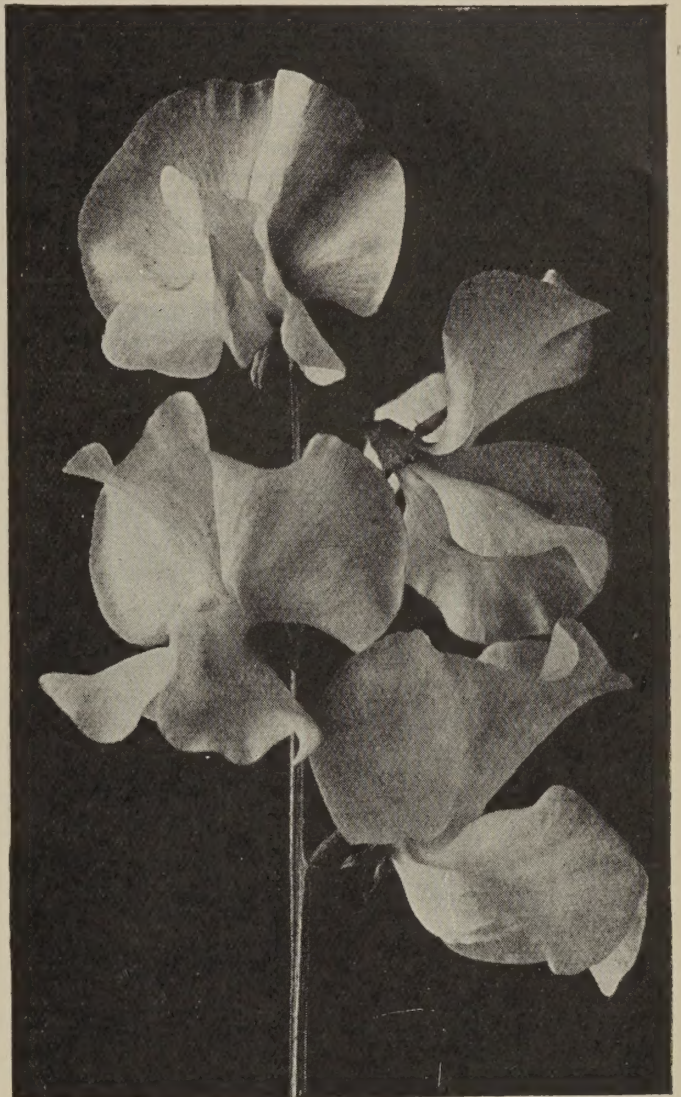
Improved Margaret Atlee—Rose-pink on cream ground, 9d.

Rosalind—Rosy-carmine, suffused salmon, 9d.

GENERAL LIST.

Each 6d Packet.

Asta Ohn—Pink-lavender.
Constance Hinton—Giant White.
Dobbies Cream—Deep color.
Elfrida Pearson—Blush-pink.
Fiery Cross—Red-orange cerise.
Florence Nightingale—Bluish-lavender.
Hawthorn Lavender—Giant pale lavender.
Helen Pierce Spencer—Marble blue on white.
Hercules—Giant pink.
Jean Ireland—Cream edged rose.
King Manuel—Giant Maroon.
Margaret Atlee—Rosy salmon-buff.
Margaret Madison—Azure blue.
Maude Holmes—Crimson.
Myrtle—Creamy-yellow, picotee edged, violet-rose.
Mrs. Cuthbertson—Rose-pink, white wings.
Mrs. Hardcastle Sykes—Blush-pink.
Mrs. Tom Jones—Deep amethyst-blue.
Mrs. Townsend—White with blue edge.



Sweet Pea—Youth

Picture—Flesh pink suffused creamy-apricot.

Queen Victoria—Light primrose-pink edge.

Robert Sydenham—Orange-salmon.

Royal Scot—Glowing orange-scarlet—burnless.

Scarlet Emperor—Rich Scarlet.

Thomas Stevenson—Orange-scarlet.

Vermilion Brilliant—Bright scarlet

Wedgewood—Azure blue.

Yates' Giant Summer Flowering Mixed Spencers—A splendid mixture of Late or Summer Flowering Sweet Peas, comprising a large selection of the choicest and most varied varieties and colors. Per packet, 6d.

Summer Flowering Grandiflora, Mixed—This is the old hooded type of bloom, but this strain is still preferred by some for its exquisite perfume and hardiness. Well assorted colors in mixture. Packet, 3d; per oz. 1s 6d; per ½lb. 4s 6d.

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TACSONIA (varieties)—See Creepers, page 77.

TAGETES — See Marigold.



BEAUTIFUL DECORATIVE PLANTS Foliage Excellent for Bunching with other Flowers

THALICTRUM ADIANTIFOLIUM

A very graceful perennial plant with foliage resembling the Maiden Hair Fern. Of great value for bouquets and cutting. Is easily grown from seed which should be sown in early autumn or spring ... per pkt. 0 6

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or "Lavender Shower."

This like the above is a herbaceous perennial, in habit and growth not unlike Aquilegia. When established it flowers profusely during the summer. The plants carry long stems, each carrying a number of dainty lavender flowers with yellow anthers. The foliage is also very beautiful. Per pkt. 0 9

TOAD FLAX — See Linaria.

TOBACCO PLANT — See Nicotiana.

TROPOEOLUM (varieties)—See Nasturtium, also Creepers, page 77.

VERBENA Nothing can surpass in beauty and brilliancy a bed of Verbenas. If cared for and not allowed to seed, they will continue in bloom for months. Sow in autumn for best results; hardy perennial. H.P.—C.E.



NEW VERBENA

Hybrida Compacta Grandiflora Auricula Eyed

"Royal Bouquet"—An entirely new type of upright growing Verbena has been evolved and is now introduced under the above name. The creeping lateral of the ordinary Verbena is replaced by a compact upright growing plant fifteen to eighteen inches high and not more than ten inches across, having no lateral branches. The flowers are borne on long stems and group themselves together at the summit of the plant, and compare in size and color with the finest strains of the ordinary type. This novelty lends itself splendidly for grouping and pot work ... per pkt. 1 6



Yates' Large-Flowering Extra Choice Packet

(Gigantea)—This is a fine strain of Mammoth Verbenas. The flowers are large and all shades of color, saved from a large collection of named varieties. When seed of this quality can be secured it is much better to raise seedlings than to buy the plants; seedlings are much more vigorous and the colors are just as brilliant. Small packet, 6d. ... 1 0

White—Very pretty, for bordering ... 0 6

Lucifer—Showy, red self, no eye ... 0 6

Defiance Red—Brilliant, for bedding, white eye 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above per ½-oz. 2 6

Good Mixed—Mixed colors ... 0 3

VIOLETS (Sweet Scented) This seed is very slow to germinate, and requires a cool temperature and shady seed bed to bring it up well. Sow in autumn or early spring. They should be transplanted into the borders when large enough and kept watered till established. In warm sunny climates a partially shaded position is most suitable. H.P.—C.F.G.

Odorata — The common sweet-scented variety. We can supply the blue or white, or mixed. each 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., ½-ounce ... 4 6

The Czar — We offer dark blue or white, large flowers. each 1 0

For large gardens, parks, etc., ½-ounce ... 7 0

VIOLA—See Pansy page.

VIRGINIAN STOCK Pretty old-fashioned hardy annuals. They are suitable for edgings or small borders. Should be sown in autumn; 6 in. H.A.—A.

Red, Yellow or White ... each 0 3

Fairy Queen ... 0 3

Crimson King ... 0 3

White and Red—Mixed ... 0 3

For large gardens, parks, etc., each above, ½-oz. 1 0



Thalictrum Dipterocarpum

THUNBERGIA—See Vines and Creepers, page 77. Packet

TITHONIA (Mexican Sunflower)—Handsome orange-scarlet flowers, very showy ... 0 6

TORENIA Extremely beautiful glass-house or bush-house plants, very easily grown. Sow under glass in seed pans in the early spring, and when sufficiently large, plant out in pans, say three inches apart. They will bloom very freely all the summer and make one of the prettiest pot plants we know. In Sydney they do well in the open borders, being most attractive and effective when massed. H.H.A.—C.

Fournieri—Blue ... 0 6

For large gardens, parks, etc., bulk packet ... 1 6

CHOICE STRAINS OF FLOWER SEEDS

WALLFLOWER

Packet

Old favorite perennial border plants, with very fragrant blooms. Sow in early autumn for spring flowering. With the exception of the annual variety, Wallflowers should only be grown in cool climates. There they are one of the most satisfactory border plants, both the rich coloring and delicious fragrance make them universal favorites. In such climates as Sydney the annual variety is the best to grow. H.B. and H.A.—C.F.

Double Branching —A splendid strain, will give a large percentage of double flowers	...	...	1	0
Single, Purple —Fragrant	...	...	0	6
Single, Golden Yellow —Sweet	...	...	0	6
Single, Ruby Red —Red, with bluish satin-like sheen	...	...	0	6
Single, Blood Red	...	...	0	6
Single, Extra Choice Mixed —A blend of the finest forms and most attractive colorings	...	...	0	6
Single —Mixed colors. Showy colors in mixture	...	...	0	3
For large gardens, parks, etc., any of the above single varieties, per ¼-ounce	...	...	1	0



Single Annual, Concord Selected—Saved from specially selected colors at our Concord Nursery. Planted in the late summer or early autumn these will bloom the following spring. They are the only type worth growing in warm climates. Mixed colors

Single Annual, Paris Earliest—Mixed colors. A French early flowering strain. Small packet, 3d.

ZINNIA ELEGANS

They are not excelled as border plants for summer flowering, and will continue to bloom right through from spring till the late summer. The seed we offer will give a great variety of the most brilliant colors and flowers of the very best form and size. Successional sowings should be made from early spring every eight weeks till the autumn. The first blooms usually come more or less single and should be removed from the plants. H.H.A.—A.E.



Yates' Selected Giant Double (Plenissima Grandiflora Robusta)—Scarlet, Buttercup, Golden-Yellow, Salmon Shades, Orange, Purple, Rose, White, Flesh, Crimson. The plants are of exceptionally robust habit, and throw up long firm stalks crowned with immense flowers, sometimes measuring five to six inches across, which are nearly all very double. For showy groups and borders these Zinnias are unrivalled. Each color separate or in mixture

Small packet 6d.	1	0
SPECIAL COLLECTION of six colors	2	0
For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce	2	6



Yates' Selected Choice Double, Mixed—A fine strain, containing a magnificent range of color, varying from pure white through the delicate shades of pearly pink, blush, rose, salmon, to orange and rich deep crimson. The colors are more brilliant, but the flowers are not as large as the Giant Zinnia type. For bedding out this strain is strongly recommended. Small packet 6d.

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce	2	6
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Yates' Selected Curled and Crested—The petals are curled and ruffled, instead of laying flat in even rows, as with the old formal variety. This gives the flower a more graceful and not so stiff an appearance. The colors are mainly yellows and reds. Small packet, 6d.

Small packet, 6d.	1	0
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Pumila Elegans, Finest Double—Brilliant colors mixed. Semi-dwarf, suitable for bedding

For large gardens, parks, etc., per ¼-ounce	1	6
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GIANT DAHLIA FLOWERED ZINNIAS.

Again the efforts of the plant breeder have resulted in something really worth while and we have pleasure in now listing fourteen colors in this new type of Zinnia, which is considered by some to be as great an advance on the older type as was the Spencer Sweet Pea over the Grandiflora—the blooms are of softer and much more graceful appearance than the ordinary Zinnia and they came to us in a glorious range of pastel shades not easy to describe. The different varieties are not absolutely fixed as yet, but a large percentage will throw true to their distinctive and charming coloring.

Exquisite —Light rose, with deeper centre, one of the best	...	...	1	0
Golden State —A very rich orange yellow	...	...	1	0
Old Rose —A distinct shade	...	...	1	0
Buttercup —An immense deep creamy yellow	...	...	1	0
Crimson Monarch —The largest and best, red shade, very vigorous	...	...	1	0
Dream —Deep lavender, turning to purple	...	...	1	0
Illumination —A true self colored deep rose	...	...	1	0
Giant Attraction —A distinctive shade of brick red, large	...	...	1	0
Polar Bear —Very large pure white, the best yet seen in Zinnias	...	...	1	0
Oriole —An immense orange and gold bicolor, changing slightly as it ages, but always very fine	...	...	1	0
Meteor —The deepest red, fine form very floriferous	...	...	1	0
Canary Bird —Primrose, very large	...	...	1	0
Scarlet Flame —Bright scarlet, tinted orange	...	...	1	0
Choice Mixed —A fine mixture of all shades.	...	...	2	6

Small packet 1/-. 2 6

SPECIAL OFFER.

Six assorted varieties (our selection)	...	5	0
Ten assorted varieties (our selection)	...	7	6

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

Nothing adds more grace to a bouquet or a table decoration than a few ornamental grasses with the flowers. When an assortment is planted a supply is assured through the year. They should be sown thinly, in clumps, during the autumn. We can supply all the following varieties at 6d. per packet, or a COLLECTION of six varieties at 2s. or twelve varieties for 3s. 6d.

Agrostis Minutiflora —Very graceful.	
Agrostis Nebulosa (Cloud Grass) — Graceful hardy annual; 18 in.	
Agrostis Pulchella — Handsome.	
Avena Sterilis (Animated Oats) — Splendid for cutting, hardy annual; 4 ft.	
Eleusine Indica — Hardy annual, very interesting; 18 in.	
Eragrostis Elegans (Love Grass) — Hardy annual; 12 in.	
Hordeum Jubatum (Squirrels Tail) — Very handsome plumes; 18 in.	
Lagurus Ovatus (Hares' Tail Grass) — Effective in bouquets, annual; 18 in.	
Panicum Plicatum — Hardy annual, elegant; 3 ft.	
Pennisetum Rueppelianum (Purple Fountain Grass) — Hardy annual; 3 ft.	
Pennisetum Longistylum — Handsome.	
Setaria Macrochoeta — Splendid for bouquets.	
Stipa Pennata (Feather Grass) — Perennial, very graceful and elegant, effective in the border; 2 ft.	
Tricholoena Rosea Erecta (or Red Top) — Hardy perennial, graceful feathery panicles; 18 in.	

Vines and Creepers

The following varieties are quite hardy, except in very cold localities, and they are easily raised from seed. They are invaluable for covering fences, arbors, and walls, and when trained up a trellis, are most useful for blocking out unsightly places. We recommend sowing in pots. When large enough, transplant into small single pots. When a fair size and well rooted, they can be planted in the open. Almost all seeds will germinate more freely if sown under a glass frame on a mild hotbed. For early planting especially in our cooler districts, such artificial warmth is necessary, particularly with the varieties marked *. Where such convenience is not obtainable, we would ask customers not to plant these varieties till late spring, when the temperature of the soil averages seventy degrees. In warm localities such protection is unnecessary, but too early planting should be avoided. Creepers make very effective plants for the open borders if they are trained up a pillar, say five or six feet high. These are readily made with wide meshed wire netting placed round three upright stakes driven into the ground. *Mina Lobata*, *Thunbergia*, *Tropæolum*, and *Ipomœas* are suitable for growing in this way.

WE WILL SUPPLY A COLLECTION OF ONE PACKET EACH OF TWELVE CHOICE CLIMBERS (our selection) for 4s. or SIX (our selection) for 2s. 6d.



Cardinal Climber.

	Packet
*Aristolochia Elegans —A variety of the old Dutchman's Pipe, with flowers of extraordinary shape and harmonious coloring; perennial ...	1 0
Banana Passion Fruit —See <i>Tacsonia Mollissima</i> .	
*Bignonia Tweediana —A remarkably handsome perennial climber, suitable for warm climates; exceedingly showy, with yellow flowers ...	0 6
*Calampelis Scabra (<i>Eccremocarpus</i>)—One of our finest perennial climbers, with orange colored flowers; sow in the spring ...	0 6
Cardinal Climber —See <i>Ipomœa Quamoclit Cardinalis</i>	
Cardiospermum Halicacabum (Balloon Vine)—A beautiful and curious tender annual creeper, bearing white flowers; sow in late spring; 6 ft.	0 6
*Cobœa Scandens —A tender perennial creeper, with handsome foliage and large bell-shaped flowers, green at first, but changing to violet blue ...	0 6
Convolvulus Major, Single (Tall Morning Glory)—We can supply all colors mixed, or the following separate colors: crimson, scarlet, blue, and carmine. Half-hardy annual ...	0 3
Convolvulus Major, Double and Semi-Double —The colors vary from pure white to white spotted and veined with blue, red, and purple shades. Showy, quick growing climber. H.H.A. ...	0 6
Dolichos Lablab (Hyacinth Bean)—Vigorous rapid grower, purplish-pink flower; annual ...	0 6
Dolichos Lignosus —Vigorous, hardy perennial. We offer the pink. It is very pretty for cutting, and is a strong, quick grower ...	0 6
*Gourds, Ornamental —Rapid annual climbers, very ornamental. Sow when frosts are over, and plant in well manured ground ...	0 6
*Ipomœa Grandiflora (Moon Flower)—Has large, pure white flowers, which open at night, and closing about 10 the following morning. Half-hardy annual ...	0 6
*Ipomœa Quamoclit Cardinalis (Cardinal Creeper)—An exceptionally fine creeper, one of the most beautiful and brilliant in our list. It is a strong rapid grower, with beautiful finely cut foliage, and is literally covered right through the summer with a blaze of cardinal red flowers ...	1 0
*Ipomœa, Quamoclit —Has delicate dark green feathery foliage, and an abundance of star-shaped rose, scarlet, and white blossoms; 15 ft. H.H.A.	0 6
*Ipomœa Gigantea —Very handsome flowers of gigantic size, ranging in color from snow-white to carmine, through every shade of blue and purple to nearly black; also many striped and marbled sorts; annual ...	0 6
*Ipomœa Learii —A beautiful, half-hardy perennial; very rapid grower, with beautiful violet flowers	0 6
Ipomœa Imperialis —Bears large flowers of all shades of white, pink, and blue. Annual ...	0 6
Ipomœa, Mixed —Showy varieties in mixture ...	0 6
Kudzu Vine (<i>Pueraria Thunbergiana</i>)—A remarkably quick growing vine, especially after it has become established. It is covered with large handsome foliage, and in the late summer is covered with small bunches of rosy purple pea-like flowerers ...	1 0
*Lophospermum Scandens —Beautiful perennial creeper, hardy in mild climates; rose color flower	0 6
*Mandevillea Suaveolens —A vigorous perennial climber, handsome trumpet-shaped white flowers, fragrant; hardy, except in cold districts ...	0 6
Maurandia, Mixed —Hardy perennial, with blue, white, and rose flowers. In separate colors, or mixed ... each per packet	0 6
*Mina Lobata —Will thrive in any warm sheltered situation; its flowers are first vivid red in the bud, changing to orange and cream as they open. Sow in late spring. Annual. Small packet, 6d.	1 0
*Passiflora Edulis (Passion Fruit Vine)—Suitable for warm districts only. When once established it is a remarkably quick grower, and bears heavy crops of fruit; perennial ...	0 6

VINES AND CREEPERS—Continued

***Phaseolus Caracalla** (Snail Flower)—The curious purple flowers are very useful for bouquets. Is perennial in moderately warm climates. Supplies uncertain ... 1 0

***Physianthus Albens** (The Moth Plant) — Has exquisitely scented white pendulous flowers. The flowers are succeeded by pretty gourd-like seed pods; perennial in mild climates ... 0 6

Scarlet Runner Bean—Very ornamental, see vegetable section.

***Solanum Seaforthianum**—Bears clusters of large, lavender-blue, wisteria-like flowers, succeeded by bunches of scarlet berries. Perennial ... 0 6

***Tacsonia van Volxemi** (Scarlet Passion Flower)—A remarkably handsome climber; thrives in a sunny situation; half-hardy perennial ... 1 0

***Tacsonia Mollissima** (Banana Passion Fruit)—A remarkably quick ever-green, half-hardy perennial climber, bearing blooms similar to the Passion Flower (a lovely shade of soft pink) in great profusion; fruit large, creamy-white, oblong, and edible ... 1 0

Thunbergia, Mixed—Pretty little annual climbers, running up four or five feet; white, yellow, and buff flowers, black centre; half-hardy ... 0 6

Thunbergia Gibsoni—This new Thunbergia is a great advance on the older types. The intense green ivy-like leaves form a fitting background for the mass of brilliant orange red flowers which are such a feature of this vine. This is a new introduction, and supplies this year are uncertain ... packet 1 0

Tropaeolum Canariensis (Canary Creeper)—Pretty yellow butterfly-like flowers; sow when frosts are over; likes a partially shaded situation and cool moist climate. Half-hardy annual ... 0 6

Tropaeolum Lobbianum—Beautiful Climbing Nasturtiums. For varieties, see Choice Flower Seeds 0 6

Tropaeolum, Yates' Matchless Mixed Nasturtiums—For covering unsightly fences or other low objects no plant is more effective. Mixed colors 0 6

LAWN GRASS.

ONE of the most attractive objects in a garden is a good lawn. In the hotter and drier districts of Australia a water supply is indispensable, and only such grasses as Couch and Buffalo should be planted, but in cool, moist localities it is comparatively easy to make a good lawn from seed of the finer grasses in a few months.

We recommend that the seed be sown in the autumn, otherwise the finer grasses do not establish themselves before the hot weather is on.

It is very important that the land should be thoroughly prepared before planting. The land should be dug a foot deep, and, if at all inclined to be wet, a pipe drain should be put through the lawn. When the seed is well up it is important that the young grass should be kept rolled, especially after rain. All weeds should be pulled out, and, as soon as high enough, the lawn mower, or, better still, a scythe, should be brought into regular use. Frequent cutting thickens the sward and keeps down weeds.

YATES' FINEST EVERGREEN LAWN GRASS.

This is a mixture of the finest dwarf varieties, mixed in the proper proportions to make a permanent evergreen turf. When ordered for hot and dry districts we make up a special mixture of the best and dwarfest drought-resisting grasses. Sixty or eighty pounds are usually sown to the acre. A plot of ten yards square will require two pounds of seed. Autumn is the best season to sow, also, in moist cool climates, in the early spring (see Yates' Garden Guide). Price 1s. 6d. per ¼-lb. packet, 4s. per lb., post free; per bushel, price on application.

BUFFALO GRASS (Roots only). As this variety does not seed, only the roots can be supplied. These should be transplanted a few inches apart in the spring, and will speedily cover the surface of the lawn. Does best in hot, dry climates, keeping green when everything else is dried up. Price 17s. 6l. per 1,000 roots, 2s. 6d. per 100. Freight and carriage extra.

COUCH GRASS. For warm climates this grass is very largely used for lawns, making a close fine turf, withstanding considerable heat and drought. Seed 3s. 6d. per lb., post free (sufficient for about 10 yards square). Roots per sugar bag 5s., per sack 12s. 6d., freight extra.

TREE SEED.

For Breakwinds, Hedges, etc.

NOTHING adds more to the look of a homestead than a few clumps of trees and well kept green hedges. The following can be readily raised from seed by anyone and they grow quickly. They should always be planted in nursery beds, and transplanted during the following winter into permanent situations.

The Pinus Insignis, Cupressus Macrocarpa, Wattles, Casuarinas, Togosaste and Sugar Gums are some of the best for shelter; while the Eucalyptus make most excellent firewood and are also useful as timber. We can also recommend the Wattles, Casuarinas, Kurrajong, Pepper, and Flowering Gums, for ornamental purposes.

	Per oz.
Acacia Acola or Nerifolia	1 0
„ Baileyana (Cootamundra Wattle)	1 0
„ Decurrens (Black Wattle)	1 0
„ Dealbata (Silver Wattle)	1 0
„ Podalyriaefolia (Queensland Silver Wattle)	3 6
„ Pycnantha (Golden Wattle)	1 0
Casuarina varieties (Native Oaks)	1 6
Cupressus Macrocarpa—(Lemon-scented Cupressus)	1 6
Cytisus Proliferous (Tagosaste or White Blossom Tree Lucerne)	0 6
Medicago Arborea—Yellow flowered Tree Lucerne	0 9
Eucalyptus Botryoides—(Mahogany Gum)	2 6
Eucalyptus Calophylla rosea—(Pink Flowering Gum)	per packet 1s.
„ Corynocalyx (Sugar Gum)	2 6
„ Ficifolia (Scarlet Flowering Gum)	per packet 1s. 6d.
„ Globulus (Blue Gum)	2 6
„ Other N.S.W. varieties	2 6
Pinus Insignis (Remarkable or Monterey Pine)	1 6
Schinus Molle (Pepp r Tree)	1 0
Stereulea Diversifolia (Kurrajong)	1 6

Also many Australian Tree Seeds.

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MARCH -	Agapanthus, Anemone, Babiana, Crinum, Daffodil, Freezia, Gladioli, Hyacinth, Spanish Iris, Iris Stylosa, Ixia, Muscari, Lachenalia, Narcissus, Ornithogalum, Ranunculus, Scilla, Sparaxis, Snowflake, Tritonia, Tulip, Watsonia.
APRIL -	Agapanthus, Arum Lily, Alstroemeria, Anemone, Babiana, Calla, Canna, Daffodil, Freezia, Gladioli, Hyacinth, Hymenocallis, Spanish Iris, Bearded Flag Iris, Iris Stylosa, Ixia, Lachenalia, Muscari, Narcissus, Ornithogalum, Pancratium, Ranunculus, Scilla, Sparaxis, Snowflake, Tritonia, Tulip, Watsonia.
MAY -	Agapanthus, Arum Lily, Alstroemeria, Calla, Canna, Gladioli, Hymenocallis, Bearded Flag Iris, Beardless Flag Iris, Lilium Sulphureum, Montbretia, Ornithogalum, Pancratium, Valotta.
JUNE -	Agapanthus, Anemone Japonica, Arum Lily, Calla, Canna, Gladioli, Hymenocallis, Beardless Flag Iris, Bearded Flag Iris, Japanese Iris, Lilium Sulphureum, Lily of the Valley, Montbretia, Pancratium, Herbaceous Peony, Tigrida, Tuberose, Valotta.
JULY -	Agapanthus, Anemone Japonica, Canna, Gladioli, Hippeastrum, Japanese Iris, Lily of the Valley, Montbretia, Herbaceous Peony, Tigrida, Tuberose, Valotta.
AUGUST -	Agapanthus, Anemone, Japonica, Tuberous Begonias, Gladioli, Gloxinia, Hippeastrum, Lilium Gloriosa, Lily of the Valley, Tigrida, Tuberose, Valotta.
SEPTEMBER	Agapanthus, Tuberous Begonia, Dahlia, Gladioli, Gloxinia, Hippeastrum, Lilium Gloriosa, Tigrida, Valotta.
OCTOBER -	Agapanthus, Dahlia, Gladioli, Lycoris, Nerine.
NOVEMBER -	Dahlia, Belladonna Lily, Brunsvigia, Lycoris, Nerine, Sprekelia.
DECEMBER -	Belladonna Lily, Brunsvigia, Cyclamen, Dahlia, Hippeastrum, Lycoris, Nerine, Sprekelia.



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FLOWERING BULBS and ROOTS

**BULB
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Double Blue, 1s. 6d. (postage 6d. extra).

Alstroemeria (Peruvian Lily)
TRICOLOR—White and yellow 9d. each,
7s. 6d. dozen. PSITTACINA (Parrot
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Anemone (Wind Flower)—St. Brigid,
Yates' Prize Strain, 2s. dozen, 12s.
100. Single, mixed colors, 1s. 6d.
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Anemone Japonica—White or pink,
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Collections—

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G. Twelve extra selected, single and
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H. Six tubers of assorted fancy
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5s. dozen, (or post paid 1s. 3d. each,
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Calla (ARUM LILIES)—

ETHIOPICA—White, 1s. each.

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foliage, 2s. each.

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10s. according to quality (postage
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Postage 6d. each extra.

Cyclamen—Giant large flowered, white
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dozen.

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Twelve Cactus, 10s. 6d.

Twenty-four Cactus, asstd. varieties
and colors, 18s.

Twenty-four assorted, including
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Refracta Alba—9d. dozen, 5s. 100.

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17s. 6d. 100.

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Hero-mauve, 6d. each, 5s. dozen.

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GLADIOLI are deservedly great favorites with the enthusiastic gardener. In most climates, by planting at intervals, blooms may be had over a period of many months, and nothing is finer, either for cut flower work or garden decoration, than a bed of well-grown Gladioli.

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Czar Peter — Deep claret-red, with light hue on lower petals.

Dawn — Soft salmon, with darker markings in throat, good spike. 1s. 6d.

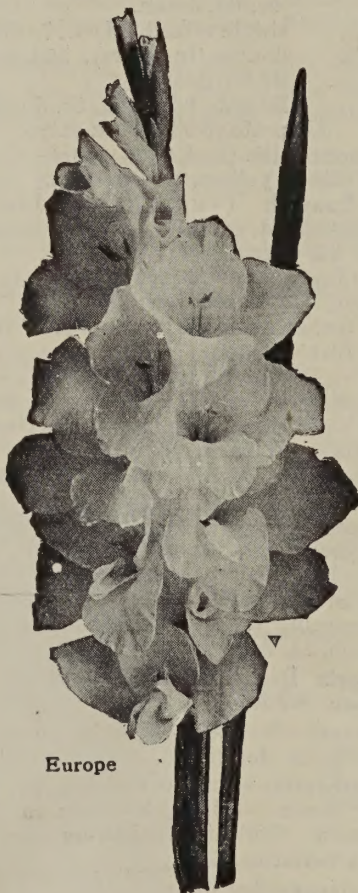
Dorothy Douglas — Pale salmon-rose, lower petals feathered crimson over cream; tall growth.

Damask — Rosy-flesh, flecked throughout with a darker shade, very strong growth.

Empress of India — Dark velvety brown red, with black markings, rare color. One of the richest colored dark Gladioli.

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Goliath — A very fine addition to the dark colored section and one of the richest in color, being deep crimson with darker shade and mottling.

Golden West (Ch.) — Orange, overlaid gold, yellow blotch, spotted with red.

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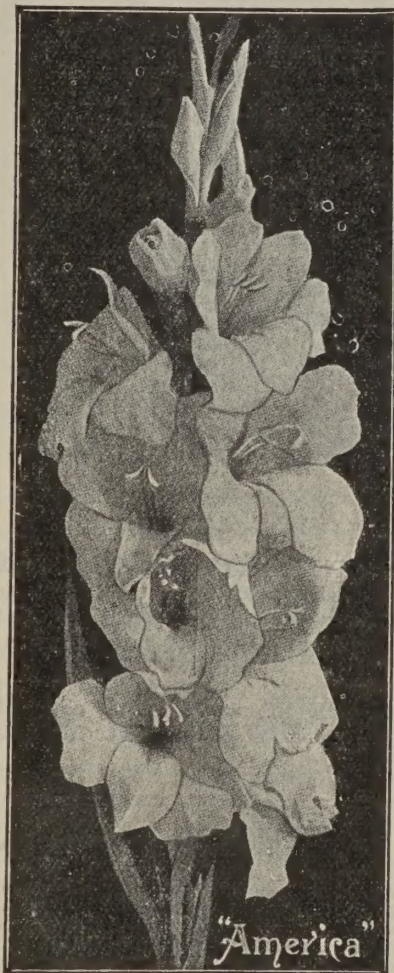
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- Locksley** — A bright colored variety with well-placed blooms, crimson with white blotch.
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Citrus Fruits — 26 Trees, comprising twelve assorted Oranges and Lemons, six assorted Manderins, six Washington Navel Oranges, and one each Groverley Navel and Navelencia, or other newly introduced Navels. Price 52/6 packing free, freight extra.

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Carrington (E)—Blight-proof.
Cleopatra (or New York Pippin) (L)—Kitchen or dessert, heavy cropper.
Commerce (L)—Dessert, fine keeper.
Cox's Orange Pippin (L)—Good.
Delicious (E)—Dessert, dark red, excellent keeper recommended.
Democrat (L)—Dessert, dark-red, splendid keeper, heavy cropper.
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Jonathan (L)—Dessert, late keeper; one of the best for cold districts.
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Keswick Codlin (E)—Large cooking
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Marjorie Hay (E)—dessert.
McIntosh's Red (L)—Crimson; consistent cropper, good keeper.
Mobb's Royal (M)—Large, kitchen.
Munro's Favorite (L)—Large, kitchen.
Northern Spy (L)—Large, dessert.
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Rome Beauty (L)—Large, dessert, splendid fruit, good keeper.
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APRICOTS.

1s. 9d. each 18s. dozen. This fruit requires a well-drained soil and warm situation.

Bobby Allen (E)—Good market.
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Campbellfield's Seedling (M)—Large.
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Early Orange (E)—Good cropper.
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Hemskirke (M)—Canning or market.
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Mansfield Seedling (L)—very large, rich.
Moorpark (L)—Large, rich and juicy.
Newcastle Early (E)—Heavy bearer; ripens end of November.
Oullin's Early—Large yellow.
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Shipley's Blenheim (L)—Large, good.
Warwick—(M)—Large, fine flavor.

CHERRIES.

2/6 ea. 27/- dozen. This fruit requires a deep, warm, dry, and well-drained soil.
Bedford Prolific (E)—Black, good bearer.
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Bigarreau d' Hollande (L)—Large, bright red, late.
Bigarreau Twyford (E)—Heart-shaped, bright red.
Black Republican (L)—Large.
Burgsdorff's Seedling (E)—Large, dark red.
Californian Advance (E)—Large, purple.
Early Gean (E)—Delicious large, black.
Early Lyons (E)—Large red.
Early Rivers (E)—Black flesh.
Florence (E)—Large red, good carrier.
Late Duke (M)—Dark red, large.
May Duke (E)—Dark red.
St. Margaret (L)—Large, black.
Werders' Early Black (E)—Large, juicy.

FIGS.

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Lady Carrington (M)—Large, good.
Lord Napier (E)—Large, good flavor.
Mrs. Dr. Chisholm (E)—Good, fine flavor.
New Boy (L)—Large, brilliant crimson.
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Triumph—Large, rich flavor.

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Earliest cling, deep red, juicy.

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Wiggons—Good size, free.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES

Captain Mance—Free, rich, juicy.

Early Crawford—Jam or canning.

Elberta—Large, rich, free.

Foster—Large, yellow, freestone; one of the best for canning.

George IV.—Large, rich flavor, free.

Grand Admirable—Large, juicy, cling

Kia Ora—Large, yellow, freestone.

Mountain Rose—Large, yellow, free.

Newington—Large, splendid flavor.

Royal George Cling—Large, yellow.

Royal George—Large, juicy, free.

Shanghai Freestone—Large, yellow.

Shanghai Seedling or Red Shanghai—Large, beautiful red.

Wotton's Shanghai—White flesh.

LATE VARIETIES

Ripening after the First of February

Billyen's Late October—Large, red.

California—Large, yellow, cling regular cropper.

Camden Golden—Large, rich golden color, bright red cheek.

Chair's Choice—Large, reddish-yellow

Globe—Large, rich, free.

Hawkesbury Champion—Constant cropper, large, free.

Lady Palmerston—Large, rich, free.

La France—Large, juicy, excellent.

Late Crawford—Yellow, good cropper

Lemon Cling—Lemon-yellow, cling.

Lord Palmerston—Large, juicy, good

Muir—Large, free, canning or drying.

McDevitt's Late Cling—Large, rich yellow, canner.

PEACHES—Continued

Nicholl's Orange—Large, rich, cling, a favorite canning variety.

Phillip Cling—Large, yellow flesh.

Princess Royal—Large, rich, cling.

Pullar's Cling—Large, heavy bearer, one of the best for canning.

Red Italian—Large, rich, free.

Red Italian Cling—Deep rich red.

Runyon's Orange—Large, good canning, rich, cling.

Salway—Yellow, juicy, bottling or canning, free.

Yellow Italian Cling—Large, juicy.

PEARS

1/9 each, 18/- dozen. This favorite fruit thrives best in cooler districts, in any strong loam with well-drained subsoil, sheltered from prevailing winds

Beurre d'Anjou (M)—Large, juicy.

Beurre Easter (L)—Excellent, dessert

Beurre Capiaumont (M)—Very prolific

Beurre Clairgeau (L)—Large, delicious

Black Achan (L)—Large, good cooker

China (E)—Cooker, warm districts.

Citron des Carmes (E)—Rich, juicy.

Fertility (M)—Large, valuable-market

Keiffer Hybrid (E)—Enormous bearer

Le Conte (M)—Rich vinous flavor.

Madame Cole (L)—Good dessert variety.

Packham's Triumph (L)—Rich melting flavor, enormous bearer.

Packham's Late—Heavy cropper.

Vicar of Winkfield (L)—Large, fine.

Williams' Bonchretien or Bartlett (E)

—Large, one of best all-round.

Winter Cole (L)—Buttery and rich.

Winter Nelis (L)—Fine flavor, good.

PERSIMMONS

OR JAPANESE DATE PLUMS

2s. 6d. each, 27s. dozen. These are a delicious fruit, and trees are very ornamental in the autumn with their beautifully tinted foliage and richly colored fruit. Will thrive in any but the coldest districts.

Dai Dai Maru—Large, four-sided.

Haya Kume—Very large, round.

Haychi Ya—Large, oblong, good.

Tanenashi—Large, conical, good.

Yemon—Large, seedless, rounded.

Zenji Maru—Small, round.

PLUMS, ENGLISH

Worked on Seedling Stocks.

1/9 each, 18/- dozen. Does well in most districts, and best in heavy, loamy soils, requiring but little care and attention.

Alberta (E)—Large, red, hangs well, **Angelina Burdett** (M)—Purple, prolific **Coe's Golden Drop** (L)—Large, oval, cling.

Diamond (M)—Large, good cooker.

Danson—Hardy, heavy cropper.

Evans' Early (E)—Juicy, excellent.

Grand Duke (L)—Rich, juicy, large.

Greengage (E)—Rich flavor, early.

Jefferson (L)—Large, oval, luscious.

Louthborough (L)—Heavy cropper

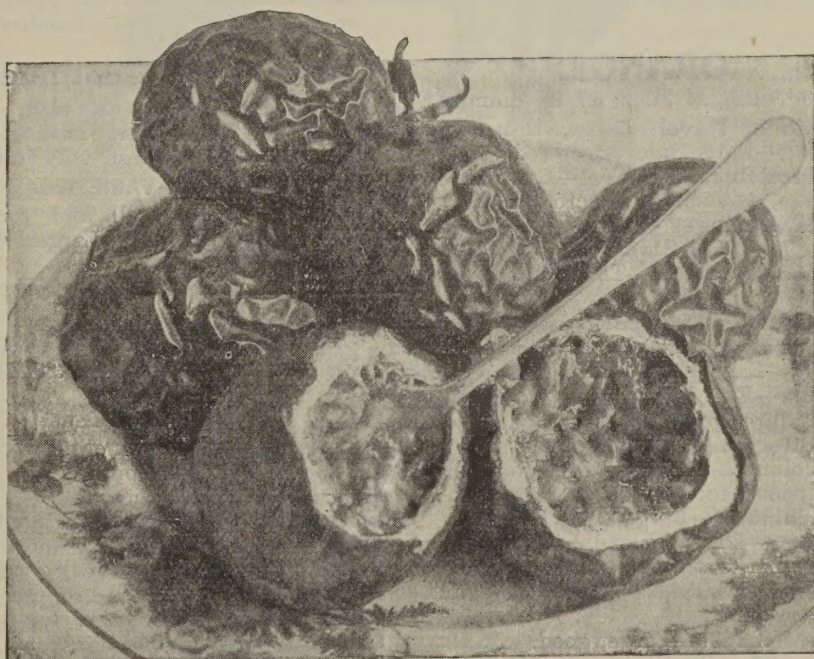
Magnum Bonum, Red (L)—Cooker.

Magnum Bonum, White (L) (Egg

Plum)—Good cooking, large, cling.

Precious (E)—Red, good cropper.

President (E)—Large, oblong, sweet.



Magnum Bonum Passion Fruit (See page 83)

General List of Fruit Trees—Continued

PLUMS, JAPANESE

1s. 9d. each, 18s. dozen. Immense croppers and very hardy, but inferior in flavor to English Plums.

Ballena (E)—Light yellow, delicious.
Burbank (M)—Fruit round, cherry-red, sweet and juicy.

Formosa (E)—Rich yellow, firm.

Gaviota (M)—Cherry-red, large.

Gold (M)—Distinct, juicy, prolific.

Kelsey (L)—Large, yellow flesh.

October Purple (L)—Large, yellow flesh.

Ogon (E)—Large, yellow, splendid flavor.

Plumcot (L)—Blood Plum, apricot flavor.

Red June (E)—Red, flesh yellow.

Santa Rosa (E)—Large, crimson flesh.

Satsuma (M) (Blood)—Dark red.

Sultan (M)—Large, very sweet.

Tunks' Seedling (M)—Red, good.

Wickson (M)—Large, heavy cropper.

Wickson Seedling (M)—Heavy cropper.

R. F. K——, Lyndoch, S.A. 3/9/23

I take this opportunity of thanking you for the very fine quality trees you sent me, also the scrupulous, careful manner in which they were packed. I can only highly recommend your orders as executed, and having had quite a number of dealings with different firms these last years in establishing my orchard, think I am qualified in passing an opinion.

PRUNES.

1s. 9d. each 18s. dozen. Grow well in hot or cold climates, used either ripe or for drying.

Fellemborg or Italian Prune—Medium long, oval, flesh rich color, cling.

Giant—Fruit of largest size, deep, purple, heavy cropper.

Oregon Silver—Huge, bear heavily in warm districts, cling.

Prune d'Agen (French Prune)—Oval, flesh yellow.

Pacific—Large, oval, one of the best drying.

Robe de Sergeant—Similar to Prune d'Agen, heavy bearer.

Tragedy—Early, fruit large, oblong, pointed, yellow flesh, rich.

QUINCES.

1s. 9d. each, 18s. dozen. Quinces are very hardy, and will thrive in moist low situations, where other fruit will not grow.

Apple-Shaped—Excellent.

Large Portugal—Large, good.

Missouri Mammoth—Very large,

Pear-Shaped—Large and good.

Reas' Mammoth—Very early.

Smyrna—Delicious flavor, keeps well.

STRAWBERRIES.

We can supply strong, well rooted plants of the following standard varieties, postage 6d. dozen, 1s. 3d. 100 extra.

Illawarra—Large, early, grand flavor, hardy, prolific. Price 2s. dozen, 10s. 100.

Phenomenal—Early, large, splendid color and flavor, hardy, 1s. 6d. doz., 7s. 6d. 100.

Creswell's Seedling—An excellent market sort. 1s. 6d. dozen, 6s. 100.

Annetta—Very early and hardy, 1s. 6d. dozen, 6s. 100.

Sunbeam—Large and well colored, 1s. 6d. dozen, 7s. 6d. 100.

Meiba—Heavy cropper. 1s. 6d. doz., 7s. 6d., 100.

Malakoff—Very early, 1s. 6d. dozen, 7s. 6d. 100.

Marguerite—Favorite market, 1s. 6d. dozen, 6s. 100.

Royal Sovereign—Scarlet, 1s. 6d. dozen, 7s. 6d. 100.

Prices per 1,000 on application.

Mr. J. E. E——, Mirrool, 3/1/24

I am very pleased to say the trees you sent me are doing splendid. I must also congratulate you on the way you packed them. You may use these few words and my name anywhere or any time you wish as a testimonial, as I am so well pleased with them.

CITRUS FRUITS

See also Special Collection offered on page 83.

OUR Citrus Fruit Trees are specially grown for us in one of the best districts near Sydney and are all healthy, sturdy trees, having plenty of fibrous roots which will transplant well. They have all been grown in new land, and will be found to be of exceptional quality. If sold out of any varieties we will substitute nearest sort, unless otherwise instructed. Price (except where otherwise mentioned) 2/3 each, 24/- dozen, £7/10/- hundred. Those priced 2/6 each, are 27/- dozen, £8/10/- hundred.

ORANGES.

2s. 3d. each, 24s. doz. £7/10/- hundred

Bahia or Navel—Large, thin skin.

Blood—Early, juicy, deep red.

Golden Buckeye Navel—Large, thin skin, delicious, good cropper.

Colden Nugget Navel—A regular cropper, fine flavor. 2s. 6d.

Groverley Navel—Thin skin, large, sweet. 2s. 6d.

Holdfast—Large, hangs late.

Homassassa—Smooth thin skin.

Jaffa—Large, almost seedless.

Joppa—Early, rich, juicy, practically seedless, regular bearer.

Mediterranean Sweet—Early pro'fic.

Navelencia—Large juicy, good size, ripens late, very hardy. 2s. 6d.

Parramatta—Large, very prolific.

Queen—Large, splendid flavor.

Rio—Large, thin skin, heavy cropper.

Siletta—Enormous crops, large and very juicy.

St. Michael's—Large, good.

Teneriffe—Similiar to St. Michael's.

Thompson Improved Navel—Ripens early, excellent for market. 2s. 6d.

ORANGES—Continued.

Valencia Late—Large and rich.

Washington Navel—Large rich. 2s. 6d.

White Siletta—Earliest, very juicy.

PRESERVING VARIETIES.

Cumquat—Fruit small and round.

Poor Man's Orange—Large, skin thick.

Seville—The best variety for preserves.

MANDARINS.

2s. 6d. each, 27s. dozen, £8/10/- hundred.

Beauty of Glen Retreat—Large and delicious flavor, warm climates.

Canton—Large, very prolific.

Dansy—Sweet and juicy.

Ellendale Beauty—Huge, pale color.

Emperor—Largest, best for market.

Feutrell's Early—Thin skin, good.

Imperial—Earliest, good cropper.

Jacob's Special—Ripens early.

Oonshiu—Seedless and hardy.

Parker's Special—Large, excellent.

Scarlet—Reddish-yellow, large.

Thorny—An immense bearer, flat.

LEMONS AND LIMES.

2s. 3d. each, 24s. doz., £7/10/- hundred.

We offer a splendid stock of Lemons, and other varieties of the Citrus family including:—

East Indian Limes—Large, juicy, 2s. 6d.

Heong Long Lemons—Large, coarse.

Lisbon Lemons—Best all-round.

Messina Lemons—Very fine quality.

Persian Limes—Small, very juicy, 2s. 6d.

Shaddocks—Large preserving.

Sweet Rind Lemon—First-class, thin skin.

Sicily Lemons—Juicy.

Thornless Lisbon Lemon—Large.

Villa Franca Lemon—Thin skin, firm, very juicy.

West Ind. an Limes—Small, best for limejuice.

Citrons—Preserving and peel.

GRAPE FRUIT

(Improved Pomelow)

March Seedless—Medium, thin rind, 3s.

Triumph—Medium size, not bitters 3s

ROSES

The ROSE is deservedly the most popular Flower grown, suiting itself to almost every variety of climate and soil.

Every garden should have a good assortment. We shall always be glad to recommend the sorts that are best adapted for any particular climate or situation. We are again offering a very fine Collection of Novelties, including the cream of those just sent out in England for the first time.

We are very large growers of Roses, our list of varieties running into many hundreds, but we have not space in this Annual to give a complete General List of Roses, but we offer several very fine collections of Roses which have become exceedingly popular with rose lovers. They are excellent value, and contain a choice selection of varieties. The **Collections** are sent **post free**, but with these exceptions postage and packing is charged extra at about $\frac{1}{3}$ per dozen to any New South Wales address; to other States the postage is about $\frac{2}{2}$ per dozen.

During the winter months, from May to August, we post many thousands of Roses to every part of the Commonwealth, and these always arrive in good order and condition; we strongly recommend customers to order in this way, and ask them to mention if they are required by any particular post.

When too late to be lifted from the open ground, Roses may be obtained in pots, but there is considerable risk of loss in planting out when the roses are growing and the weather hot and dry. The cost of posting roses in pots is almost prohibitive, but we can send them by rail or boat.

If, owing to delay in transit or other cause, the plants should appear shrivelled (which however, is very seldom the case), open a trench in the ground and lay them flat in the bottom, covering with six inches of moist soil, taking care not to tread on the branches. After allowing the plants to remain underground for three days, take up and plant at once, protecting from sun and wind for a few days.



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PACKING SPELL SATISFACTION TO DISTANT
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The Roses you sent me last June have turned out a huge success, all due to the splendid way you packed them, as they were lying in Macknade Post Office a fortnight before I got them.

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I had great satisfaction from the "Utility Collection of Roses" that I received from you last year, in spite of the dry weather which was very trying.

NOVELTIES for 1924.

SPECIAL OFFER.—If twelve or more of these 1924 Novelties are ordered, we will allow ten per cent. off Catalogue Rates.

THE PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE POSTAGE, so customers will please allow 1s. 3d. per dozen in N.S.W., and 2s. 2d. dozen to other States for postage and package.

The following Collection comprises the cream of the new Roses just sent out in England and the Continent. We can supply these Novelties after the beginning of May. Owing to pressure of space, we have had to greatly reduce the descriptions, which are those of the raisers.

Betty Hulton (H.T.)—Growth vigorous, free branching habit, olive-green foliage, free flowering. The blooms are perfectly formed, full and of great depth, with smooth and massive petals; bud long and pointed; color intense saffron yellow, with deep golden centre, most brilliant and attractive. 4/-.

Captain F. S. Harvey Cant (Cant.) (H.T.)—Rich salmon-pink, faintly veined with scarlet and suffused with yellow, flowers large, high pointed centre, of great substance, sweetly perfumed. 4/-.

Captain Ronald Clerk (H.T.)—Free bushy growth, color brilliant vermillion, shaded orange, with orange base, sweetly scented. 4/-.

Climbing General MacArthur (H.T.)—Perhaps no Climbing Sport of recent years will be so generally welcome as this, which possesses all the good points of the parent. 4/-.

Climbing Stevens (H.T.) (Pernet Ducher)—A very vigorous grower, large, full snow-white flower. 4/-.

Courage (H.T.)—Color, shape and form is that of the H.P. "Duke of Wellington," with the freedom of bloom and habit of the Hybrid Tea, sweetly scented. 4/-.

David Gilmore (H.T.)—Vigorous upright growth, flowers very large, full and well formed, color brilliant scarlet, red and even shade throughout. 4/-.

Evelyn Murland (H.T.)—Outside petals shot pink and coral red, suffused and lined orange; inside of petals intense salmon-pink and cochineal veined yellow with deep yellow base, vigorous erect and free, dark green foliage, strongly tea perfumed, of large size. 4/-.

Feu Joseph Looymans (H.T.) (Looymans & Son)—Color yellow, with vivid apricot giving a brilliant effect in the centre. Buds long and pointed, developing into well formed blooms. Gold Medal Amsterdam 1922. 4/-.

Florence J. Izzard (H.T.)—Color deep pure buttercup yellow, blooms long and pointed and of fine substance, perfect form and delightfully scented. Gold Medal of the National Rose Society. 4/-.

Hawimark Scarlet (H.T.)—The color brilliant scarlet, growth vigorous, flowering continuously throughout the season. The blooms are well formed of medium size and very sweetly scented. Gold Medal of the N.R.S. 4/-.

Lady Dixon Hartland (H.T.)—Strong upright growth, color deepest salmon in centre, shading to pale pink on the outer petals. Flowers long and pointed, sweetly scented. 4/-.

Lady Roundhay (Pernetiana)—Bushy growth, color deep coppery-chrome of same shade throughout. Sweetly scented, free flowering. 4/-.

Lord Allenthy (H.T.)—The blooms are of large size, full with large smooth petals of great depth and substance. Robust erect growth, every shoot being crowned with a flower bud, carried on good stiff stems. Color is rich crimson, suffused with scarlet. A superb variety; Card of Commendation of the N.R.S. 4/-.

Mabel Turner (H.T.)—Vigorous branching growth, flowers very large, full, and well formed, with high pointed centre, color warm deep salmon-pink, with reflex petals. 4/-.

Mama Lamesch—(H.T.) (P. Lambert)—Orange and flesh, centre reddish-copper with carmine on a yellow ground, bud pointed, flowers large, sweetly scented, growth vigorous, continuously flowering, superb. 4/-.

Maud Cuming (H.T.)—Well shaped blooms, carried on long stiff stems. Growth vigorous, erect, and free branching habit, deep green foliage, flowering most profusely. Colors are delicate peach, shaded with coral pink, suffused and veined orange, the base of petals deep orange. 4/-.

Mrs. Courtney Page (H.T.)—Free blooming, orange-cerise, with carmine shading towards base, most distinct, petals of great size and substance, perfect shape, and sweetly scented. Gold Medal of the National Rose Society. 4/-.

Mrs. Wm. Sergeant (H.T.)—Vigorous branching growth, flowers large, full, splendidly formed, color apricot and peach, very heavily flushed and pencilled with rose-pink towards the edge of the petals, which are nicely reflexed. Awarded Gold Medal Glasgow. 4/-.

Rosabel Walker (H.T.)—Brilliant scarlet, shaded velvety-crimson with splashes of yellow at base of petals, growth vigorous and free flowering, fragrant. Certificate of Merit N.R.S., and Award of Merit R.H.S. 4/-.

Rudolph Kluis (Dwarf Poly) (Anth. Kluis)—Growing vermillion red, growth and size of the flowers are the same as "Ellen Poulson," mildew proof. 4/-.

Souv. de H. A. Verschuren (H.T.) (Verschuren) Magnificent Rose, with very large, full and perfectly shaped flowers, color cadmium yellow, passing to orange yellow, buds long and pointed, sweetly perfumed. Gold Medal at Rotterdam, also Gold Medal at Spa, July 1922. 4/-.

S. S. Pennock (H.T.) (W. Kordes & Sohne)—Glowing cerise, with yellowish shades. Immense flowers, high centre, fine pointed buds. 4/-.

Substitute Jacques Chapel (H.T.) (Bernaix)—A beautiful colour, peach bloom, edge of petals fuscine red, tinted lemon yellow at the base. 4/-.

Sunday Best (Alister Clark)—The most distinct and striking "Single Rose" produced for years. The color is brilliant carmine, with a very distinct clear white eye. It makes a tall specimen bush, and is ideal as a hedge—five feet high. 3/6.

Vesuvius (H.T.)—Single, color brightest scarlet, crimson, sweetly perfumed, growth free and bushy. 4/-.

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Descriptions are those of the Raisers.

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Captain Kilbee Stuart (H.T.)—An exhibition Rose, rich glowing velvety crimson shaded scarlet, perfectly formed blooms, noble size and depth. Delightfully fragrant. Dark green foliage.

Clara Curtis (H.T.)—Large full flowers, shell shaped petals on rigid stems, golden yellow, tinted red on outer petals, Marechal Neil perfume, very floriferous, Gold Medal N.R.S.

Lady Inchiquin (H.T.)—Novel shade of orange-cerise, vigorous branching growth. Gold medal N.R.S.

Climbing Mrs. Aaron Ward—A climbing form of this esteemed variety, distinct and remarkably vigorous and free flowering characteristics, quite first rate.

Lady Craig (H.T.)—Large free flowers, fine form, sweetly scented, color deep cadmium yellow, honey yellow centre. Splendid garden rose.

Leslie Pidgeon (H.T.)—Flowers half full, freely produced, color orange buff heavily flushed terra-cotta, sweetly scented.

Mrs. Jas. Williamson (H.T.)—Flowers full, well formed. Color clear Enchantress pink, delightful garden rose of vigorous growth. Gold medal R.H.S.

W. E. Wallace (H.T.)—Strong vigorous growth, flowers freely produced. Color deep golden yellow, sweetly scented.

Admiration (H.T.)—Bushy growth, large well-formed flowers. Color pearly cream shaded vermilion, sweetly scented.

Diadem (H.T.)—Deep crimson, overlaid orange, free grower, large flowers. A good garden rose.

Lord Charlemont (H.T.)—Perfectly shaped, long pointed clear crimson flowers, free growing. Fine for massing and bedding.

Ma Fiancee (H.T.)—Vigorous free flowering, enormous flower, full clear rose passing to rosy silver, fragrant.

Bessie Chaplin—Bright pink blooms of great substance, strong and upright growth.

Climbing Madame Edouard Herriot—Vigorous climber, sport of this excellent variety, flowers in great profusion.

Evrard Ketten (H.T.)—Superb bright carmine purple, does not burn in the sun. Upright vigorous growth, powerful fragrance.

Coolland (H.T.)—Seedling from Sunburst x Red Letter Day, medium, beautifully formed flowers of clear rose, darker on reverse, free flowering.

Henriette Tersteeg (H.T.)—(Madame Abel Chatenay x Mrs. Jos. Hill), soft rose, with salmon, large full flowers. erect growth.

Madame Alexander Dreux (H.T.)—Brilliant golden yellow flowers of good form and size, vigorous erect branching, free flowering. A striking rose.

Mrs. Henry Bowles (H.T.)—Growth free and upright, blooms beautifully pointed, warm rosy pink shaded salmon-orange. Distinct.

Reinhard Badecker (H.T.)—(Frau Karl Druschki x Rayon D'or). A golden Druschki with glossy foliage, pest resistant. Makes fine bushes covered with big deep golden yellow flowers.

Souvenir de George's Pernet—Beautiful Orient red color, end of petals cochineal carmine, wholly shaded yellow. Vigorous branching.

Souvenir de Jean Crognon (H.T.)—Growth vigorous and robust, flowers large full. Dark rosy salmon, centre coral red shaded yellow.

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Special Varieties of Proved Merit.

Sovereign (H.A.B.)—Strong growth, flowers medium size, freely produced of deep metallic yellow in the bud, opening to deep golden yellow. 2/6.

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Souvenir de R. B. Ferguson (H.T.) (Ferguson)—Colour difficult to describe, outside of buds splashed cerise and rose pink on apricot, full flower rich apricot, shell pink and orange yellow at base. Large well formed blooms, 2/6.

Salmon Spray (H.T.) (P. Grant)—Color rich salmon pink, carmine reverse, borne in sprays, constant bloomer, sturdy growth and sweetly scented. 2/6.

Prima Donna (H.T.)—Yellow shaded fawn, outside petals shaded crimson, strong branching habit, blooms on good long stems. Good grower, and a very attractive flower. 3/6.

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Earl Haig (H.T.)—Brick-red, large, full, well formed sweetly perfumed.

Ethel Somerset (H.T.)—Shrimp-pink, very large flower, full and pointed, highly perfumed.

J. G. Glassford (H.T.)—Clear, deep crimson-lake, does not fade, quiet unique.

Marjorie Bulkeley (H.T.)—Buff-ochre heavily flushed rosy-pink, sweetly scented.

Miss Lolita Armour (H.T.)—Deep golden-yellow with coppery-red sheen, deepening towards the edge of the petals to deep coral-red.

Rev. F. Page Roberts (H.T.)—Rich "Marechal Neil" color, occasionally veined with buff.

Secretaris Zwart (H.T.)—Color bright rose, reverse of petals silvery rose.

Souvenir De Claudius Pernet (H.A.B.)—Very large sunflower-yellow, deeper in the centre.

The General (H.T.)—Color blood-red flushed orange, flower large, pointed.

Westfield Star (H.T.)—A distinct lemon-yellow sport from "Ophelia," possessing all its excellent characteristics.

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Collection of Six Single and Semi-Single Roses.

For Cutting and Border Decoration.

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THE Dwarf Polyantha Rose is perhaps seen to the best advantage in masses or when planted as low hedges or edgings. The effect in either case is most charming, the dainty clusters of blossom and handsome foliage contrasting well with the larger Bush Roses. We confidently recommend them to all Rose lovers.

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Jeannie Soupert—White, flushed pale pink.

Ellen Poulsen—Dark pink, excellent.

Erna Teschendorff—Deep red.

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Orleans—Rosy-carmine, white centre.

Perle d'Or—Nankeen-yellow.



Collection of Six Excellent Climbing Roses.

WE can very strongly recommend these varieties. All are vigorous growers and bloom particularly freely.

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Black Boy (H.T.)—Deep crimson.

Climbing Pink Maman Cochet (TEA)—Pink.

Climbing White Maman Cochet (TEA)—White, tinged blush.

Cloth of Gold (NOISETTE)—Beautiful sulphur-yellow.

Miss Marian Manifold (H.T.)—Bright red.

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WE consider the following absolutely the finest in this section; all are of particular merit and give a full range of color.

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A BEAUTIFUL class of a running or trailing habit. Very valuable for covering banks, waste ground, and for training over trellises, etc. They are remarkable for their beautiful shining foliage as well as for their flowers, which are produced in the greatest profusion.

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Dorothy Perkins—Double-pink.

Excelsa—Brilliant scarlet.

Hiawatha—Crimson, white eye.

Shower of Gold—Deep yellow, double.

White Dorothy Perkins—Pure white, double.

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For borders, low hedges, and edgings, this is one of the most charming plants, growing from eighteen inches to two feet in height, and producing an almost unbroken supply of beautiful rosy-carmine blooms throughout the year.

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Yates' "Bountiful" Collection Of Twelve Distinct Roses

THESE are all splendid varieties, vigorous growers, and very free blooming.

Price 17s., packing and postage free.

- Antoine Rivoire** (H.T.)—Rosy flesh, shaded carmine.
Hadley—Dark crimson-scarlet, particularly fine.
La Tosca (H.T.)—Pale rose, very free blooming; excellent
Laurent Carle (H.T.)—Brilliant velvety carmine
Madame Lambard (TEA)—Salmon-rose
Madame Jules Bouche (H.T.)—Salmon-white, shaded rose.
Mrs. Geo. Shawyer (H.T.)—Deep china rose, large
Mrs. Harold Brocklebank (H.T.)—Creamy white, buff centre.
Perle des Jardins (TEA)—Straw color, centre orange-yellow.
Perle von Godesberg (H.T.)—White, centre golden yellow.
Souv. de Maria de Zayas (H.T.)—Vivid carmine, deeper shading.
Charles K. Douglas—Intense flaming scarlet, flushed bright crimson, very sweetly scented.



Yates' "Utility" Collection Of Twenty-five Roses.

THE following 25 Roses are, in our opinion, the best and most vigorous growers of their respective colors, and will thrive in soils and situations where some of the more delicate varieties would die out. They are all constant and prolific bloomers and particularly suitable either for cutting or for border decoration. For an inexperienced grower a better list could hardly be selected, and we offer them as a complete Collection, which we can specially recommend.

Price 32s. 6d., packing and postage free.

DWARFS.

- Corallina** (TEA)—Rosy crimson
Ethel Malcolm (H.T.)—Ivory white, peach centre
Frau Karl Druschki (H.P.)—Pure white
Cruss au Teplitz (H.T.)—Bright crimson
General MacArthur (H.T.)—Bright scarlet
General Superior Arnold Jansen (H.T.)—Glowing deep carmine
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria (H.T.)—Pure white, creamy centre
Lady Dunleath—Ivory-white, tinted yellow.
Lillian Moore—Pure Indian yellow.
Madame Abel Chatenay (H.T.)—Rosy carmine, shaded salmon
Madame Antoine Marie (TEA)—Rose, shaded white
Maman Cochet (TEA)—Flesh, shaded rose
Madame Jean Dupuy (TEA)—Rosy yellow
Molly Bligh—Deep maddery pink.
Molly Sharman Crawford (TEA)—White, tinged green
Mrs. Ed. Powell (H.T.)—Velvety crimson
Mrs. Frank Bray (H.T.)—Deep coppery yellow
Queen Olga of Greece (H.T.)—Soft rose pink
White Maman Cochet (TEA)—White, tinged blush

CLIMBERS.

- Climbing Papa Contier** (TEA)—Rosy crimson
Climbing Pink Maman Cochet (TEA)—Pink
Climbing White Maman Cochet (TEA)—White, tinged blush
Miss Marian Manifold (H.T.)—Bright red
Noella Nabonnand (TEA)—Velvety crimson (semi-double)
Reve d'Or (NOISETTE)—Buff-yellow

Yates' "Distinct Fifty" Collection.

THIS collection contains popular and distinct varieties that have been specially selected from upwards of one thousand sorts that we have growing at our Rose Nursery. We have included some recently introduced varieties of special merit, and can recommend all as being of vigorous growth and very free flowering. Price 60/- packing and postage free.

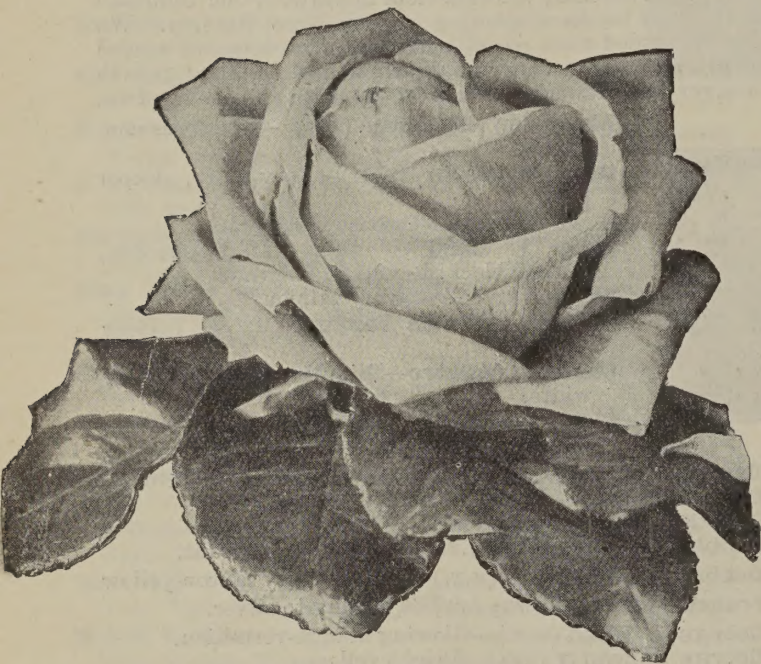
- Alexander Hill Gray** (TEA)—Deep lemon-yellow.
Belle Siebrecht (H.T.)—Rosy pink, deeper centre.
C. V. Haworth—Intense black scarlet.
Capt. F. Bald—Deep scarlet-maroon, flushed blackish-velvet, fragrant.
Carine (H.T.)—Coppery salmon.
Chateau de Clos Vougeot (H.T.)—Velvety scarlet.
Clarice Goodacre—Biscuit-chrome on Ivory white.
Cloth of Gold (NOISETTE)—Beautiful sulphur yellow climber.

- Covent Garden**—Deep rich red, flowers large, well formed
Dean Hole (H.T.)—Carmine, shaded salmon.
Dorothy Page Roberts (H.T.)—Coppery pink.
Double Pink Killarney (H.T.)—Pink, very fragrant.
Duchess of Wellington (H.T.)—Deep coppery saffron-yellow
Frances Caunt—Fawny apricot, toning to silver.
George C. Waud (H.T.)—Glowing orange-vermilion.
George Schwartz (TEA)—Bright yellow.
Hawmark Crimson—Intense crimson, semi-double.
His Majesty (H.T.)—Dark Crimson.
Hugo Roller (TEA)—Yellow, suffused crimson.
Jonkheer J. L. Mock (H.T.)—Imperial pink.
Joseph Hill (H.T.)—Salmon-pink.
Lady Ashtown (H.T.)—Rose, shaded yellow.
Lady Dixon—Rich apricot, flushed salmon-pink. A new shade, blooms large and full.
Lady Maureen Stewart—Velvety black-scarlet.
Lady Roberts (TEA)—Reddish apricot.
Lady Hillingdon (TEA)—Apricot-yellow.
Lady Ursula (H.T.)—Flesh-pink.
La France (H.T.)—Shades of rose.
Laurent Carle (H.T.)—Velvety carmine
K. of K.—Intense scarlet, semi-double.
Mrs. Chas. Lamplough—Soft lemon, sweetly scented.
Madame Segond Weber (H.T.)—Rosy salmon.
Marie van Houtte (TEA)—Yellowish white, edged rose.
Mrs. H. R. Darlington—Creamy-yellow, sweetly scented.
Mrs. C. E. Dunbar-Buller—Clear rosy-carmine on rosy-white with lemon base. A profuse bloomer.
Mrs. Foley Hobbs (TEA)—Ivory-white, edge tinged pink
Mrs. George Shawyer (H.T.)—Brilliant clear rose.
Mrs. Grace Marriott—Cream, pencilled rose.
Mrs. Henry Morse—Bright rose, impregnated vermilion, very sweetly scented, superb.
Mrs. Herbert Stevens (TEA)—White.
Mrs. Myles Kennedy (TEA)—Buff white, pink centre.
Papa Contier (TEA)—Bright rose and crimson.
Penelope (TEA)—Red, cream centre.
Perle des Jardins (TEA)—Canary yellow.
Rhea Reid (H.T.)—Red, fragrant.
Souv. de Stella Grey (TEA)—Orange, splashed yellow, salmon and crimson.
Star of Queensland (H.T.)—Velvety maroon.
The Bride (TEA)—White.
White Killarney (H.T.)—White.
William Shean (H.T.)—Pure pink.

DWARF and CLIMBING ROSES

Not mentioned in any of the Collections on the previous pages.

100 DWARF ROSES. (All 1s. 6d. each, 16s. dozen)



Admiral Ward—Crimson-red, shaded with fiery red.
Argyll (H.T.)—Clear, deep cream, large and full.
Augustine Guinnoisseau—(White La France) Rosy-white.
British Queen—White, buds show a slight flush.
Chrissie Mackellar—Crimson-carmine, on ochrey madder; semi-double.
Columbia (H.T.)—Bright pink, free flowering.
Comtesse de Cassagny (H.T.)—Coppery-pink, shaded rose.
Comtesse de Cayla—Coppery-carmine, shaded orange.
Cornelia (H.T.)—Bright pink, centre orange base.
Countess of Gosford—Salmon-pink, base of petals saffron.
Crimson Emblem—Crimson-scarlet; sweetly scented.
Crusader (H.T.)—Rich velvety-crimson, free.
Devoniensis—Pale yellow; large and full.
Donald MacDonald—Medium sized orange-carmine.
Duchess of Normandy—Dark salmon-flesh.
Duchess of Sutherland—Warm rose-pink, lemon shading, erect.
Earl of Warwick—Soft salmon-pink; excellent.
Edel—White, with pale centre.
Edgar M. Burnett—Flesh, tinted rose, sweetly scented.
Edward Mawley—Velvety-crimson; very large and full.
Eleanor Henning (H.T.)—Lovely salmon-pink, free.
Elizabeth Cullen (H.T.)—Dark crimson, fragrant.
Ethel Malcolm—Ivory-white, delicate peach centre.
Etoile de France—Velvety crimson, centre cerise red.
E. von Kesselstadt—Creamy-white, edged pale carmine.
Farben Konigin—Outside petals dark red, inside brighter.
Florence Pemberton—Creamy-white, tinted pink.
Florence Haswell Veitch—Brilliant scarlet, dark shading.
Florinda Norman Thompson (H.T.)—Rose, lemon ground.
Francois Dubreuil—Velvety crimson, reflexed cerise.
General Gallieni—Crimson, tinted blood-red.
George Arends—Described as a pink Druschki.
George Dickson—Large and richly perfumed, color velvety blackish scarlet-crimson.
Gladys Holland—Buff, shaded orange-yellow.
Golden Ophelia—Deep golden, outside petals paler.
Gorgeous—Orange yellow, veined with reddish-copper.

Gustav Grunerwald—Rosy-carmine, yellow at base.
Hector Mackenzie—Dark pink, to silvery-crimson.
Hergsttooi (H.T.)—Rich purple-red, very fine.
Hoosier Beauty—Scarlet-crimson; deliciously perfumed.
Hortulanus Budde—Very dark red opening, yellow centre.
H. V. Machin—Blackish scarlet-crimson.
Jean G. N. Forester—Carmine lake, slightly tinted Chinese orange and yellow.
Julia Bartet (H.T.)—Buds yellow, tinted carmine.
Killarney—Rose, shaded white; very showy.
Konigan Carola—Satiny-rose, large, very free blooming.
Lady Alice Stanley—Coral rose, centre paler, fragrant.
Lady Anderson (H.T.)—Deep coral pink, fragrant.
Lady Greenall—Intense orange on creamy-white.
Lady Pirrie—Coppery-salmon, shaded apricot.
Lady Plymouth—Deep ivory-cream, very faintly flushed.
Lena—Apricot-yellow, with paler edges.
Liberty—Brilliant crimson, with fine stiff petals.
Louise Crette—White, very large.
Madame Caroline Testout—Deep bright fleshy rose.
Madame Constant Soupert—Yellow, with peach shading.
Madame Edouard Herriot—Semi-double, of superb coloring; coral red, shaded yellow and scarlet.
Madame Jules Grolez—Deep china-rose, very bright.
Margaret Dickson Hamill—Maize color, edged carmine.
Martha Drew (H.T.)—Creamy-white, rose centre.
Midnight Sun (H.T.)—Velvety black-crimson, semi-double.
Miss Alice de Rothschild—Deep citron-yellow.
Miss Connor—Canary colour; blooms full cup shape.
Miss Cynthia Forde—Carmine-rose, yellow base; fragrant.
Mrs. Aaron Ward—Indian-yellow, beautiful bud.
Mrs. A. R. Waddell—Rosy-scarlet, opening salmon.
Mrs. Bryce Allen—Carmine-rose; most highly perfumed rose we know.
Mrs. C. E. Shea—Brilliant madder-red, shot scarlet.
Mrs. David McKee—Creamy-yellow, continuous bloomer.
Mrs. George Marriot—Cream, suffused rose and vermilion.
Mrs. George Preston—Silvery-pink, large and full.
Mrs. MacKellar—Delicate canary-yellow, pointed centre.
Mrs. Muir MacKean—Carmine-crimson; large good form.
Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller—Pearly blush.
Mrs. Walter Easlea—Glowing crimson-carmine; large.
My Maryland—Bright pink, very fine.
Old Gold—Reddish-orange, with coppery-red shadings.
Ophelia—Salmon-flesh, shaded with rose.
Prince Charming—Deep reddish-copper, with old gold base.
Prince de Bulgarie—Silvery flesh, deeper centre; distinct.
Queen of Spain—Pale flesh, deeper in centre.
Radiance—Brilliant carmine, shaded salmon.
Red Letter Day—Semi-double; velvety scarlet-crimson.
Red Radiance (H.T.)—Reddish-pink, free flowering.
Rene Wilmart-Urban—Salmon-flesh, edged carmine.
Richmond—Reddish-scarlet; very good.
Souvenir de Therese Levet—Deep red, shaded maroon.
St. Helena—Cream, blush centre, yellow at base.
Sunburst—Superb cadmium-yellow, very free.
Sunstar (H.T.)—Orange, veined vermilion.
Sunny South—Pink, flushed with carmine on yellow base.
Theresa Bevan—Coppery-yellow, shaded red.
Victory (H.T.)—Glowing scarlet, semi-double.
Warrior—Buds blood-red, opening vivid crimson.
W. C. Gaunt—Velvety vermilion, tipped scarlet.
White Killarney—White sport from Killarney; good.
White Lord Tarquin—Pure white, fine bloom.
William R. Smith—Creamy-white, shaded with pink.
Willowmere—Shrimp-pink, shaded yellow centre.
Yvonne Vacherot—Porcelain-white, suffused pink.

Selected List of Recommended Roses

NOT PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED (continued)

20 CLIMBING ROSES (All 1s. 6d. each; 16s dozen.)

Ards Rover — Deep crimson, shaded maroon.
Australian Beauty — Scarlet-crimson, flushed maroon.
Bardou Job — Rich crimson, shaded black; semi-double.
Climbing Belle Siebrecht — Deep rosy-pink, good form.
Climbing Comtesse La Bathe — Rosy-flesh, free flowering.
Climbing Md. Abel Chatenay — Rosy-carmine.
Climbing Madame Caroline Testout — Deep bright fleshy rose
Climbing K. A. Victoria — White, with creamy centre.
Climbing Devoniensis — Creamy-white.
Climbing La France — Climbing sport of the old favorite.
Climbing Lady Hillingdon — Rich apricot-yellow.

Climbing Madame Segond Weber — Rosy-salmon, large.
Climbing Perles Des Jardins — Straw color, centre orange-yellow.
Climbing Souv. Therese Levet — Crimson, shaded maroon.
Md. Jules Gravereaux — Flesh white of beautiful shape.
Marechal Neil — Rich golden-yellow.
Reine Marie Henriette — Glowing crimson, large and full.
Striped R. M. Henriette — Crimson striped magenta.
Souv. De Leonie Viennot — Pink, base of petals yellow.
Wm. Allen Richardson — Deep orange, small but free.

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What more delightful hedge could be imagined? What hedge, while fulfilling all ordinary requirements of a "live" fence, will give such a profusion of cut bloom for home decoration? The following varieties are specially suitable for the purpose. They are quick growers of sturdy habit, and very free flowering. Plant about 3ft. apart.

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Cecile Brunner — Pretty cluster, rose color, pale rose-yellow centre.

General Macarthur — Bright scarlet.

Gruss au Teplitz — Bright crimson, beautifully scented.

K. of K. — Intense scarlet, semi-double.

Lady Hillingdon — Apricot-yellow, pointed buds.

Md. Abel Chatenay — Rosy-carmine, shaded salmon.

Maman Cochet — Flesh, shaded rose.

Maman Cochet, White — White, tinged blush.

Mrs. Edward Powell — Velvety crimson.

Mrs. Frank Bray — Deep coppery-yellow.

Red Letter Day — Scarlet-crimson, semi-double.



RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE NATIONAL ROSE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

EIGHTEEN BEST DWARF GARDEN ROSES.

Radiance
 Madam Abel Chatenay
 Hadley
 Lady Hillingdon
 Frau Karl Druschki

Mrs. Herbert Stevens
 Red Radiance
 K. A. Victoria
 Laurent Carle
 General Macarthur

White Maman Cochet
 Maman Cochet
 Madam Segond Weber
 Sunny South
 Columbia

Gruss Au Teplitz
 Jonkheer J. L. Mock
 Etoile de Holland
 Hoosier Beauty
 Golden Ophelia

TWELVE BEST CLIMBING ROSES.

Miss Marion Manifold
 Climbing White Maman
 Cochet
 Climbing Maman Cochet

Climbing Madam Segond
 Weber
 Black Boy
 Noella Nabonnand

Climbing Perle des Jardines
 Climbing K. A. Victoria
 Climbing Caroline Testout

Australian Beauty
 Souvenir de Leonie Viennot
 Sachsen Gruss



STANDARD ROSES

We offer a Splendid Collection
of all Leading Varieties.

THESE are quite distinct in habit from the Dwarf Roses, being worked on single stems two feet six to three feet six inches in height. As all the foliage and blooms are carried well up above the ground, small annuals and other dwarf-growing plants may be planted close in to the roses, the general effect being exceedingly fine. We will have supplies of the following varieties on Standard stocks. As some varieties are short, customers will oblige if they mention their second choice in case any varieties are sold out.

NOVELTIES FOR 1924 6s. each, freight and packing extra.

Description of most of the following varieties will be found in our 1924 List of "Novelty" Roses, see page 88.

Betty Hulton	David Gilmore	Mama Lamesch	Prince of Wales
Courage	Lady Dixon Hartland	Mrs. Trilby Gilbert	Rosabel Walker
Captain F. S. Harvey Cant	Mrs. Wm. Sergeant	President Cherioux	Souvenir de H. A. Verschuren
			Souvenir de N. Meyer

LIST OF STANDARD ROSES FOR SEASON 1924

Price, 4s.; 42s. per dozen. Packing and Freight extra.

Alexander Emslie	Ethel Somers	K. of K.	Molly Sharman Crawford
Alex Hill Gray	Elsie Beckwith	Lady Alice Stanley	Mrs. B. Ryce Allen
Antoine Revoire	Everard Ketten	Lady Hillingdon	Mrs. David McKee
Belle Siebrecht	Farben Konigan	Lady Roberts	Mrs. Foley Hobbs
Betty	F. K. Druschki	Lady Terey	Mrs. Geo. Shawyer
Betty Uprichard	Friberg II.	Laurent Carle	Mrs. Herbert Stephens
Carine	General Macarthur	Los Angeles	Mrs. P. Buller
Chas. K. Douglas	Georgous	Lycille Barker	Mrs. T. J. English
Chrissie McKeller	Golden Emblem	Lyon	Ophelia
Clarice Goodacre	Golden Ophelia	Madam Abel Chatenay	Radiance
Columbia	Gustave Grunnerwald	Madame Ed. Herriott	Red Letter Day
Countess of Shaftesbury	Hadley	Madam Segond Weber	Red Radiance
Covent Garden	Hawmark Crimson	Ma Fiance	Souvenir de J. Creber
C. V. Haworth	Iona Herdman	Maman Cochet	Souvenir de Maria de Zayas
Cynthia Ford	Isobel	Margaret Dickson Hamill	Sunburst
Dean Hole	J. J. L. Mock	Midnight Sun	Tarbenrogin
Donald McDonald	Joseph Hill	Miss Alice de Rothschild	White Maman Cochet
Edward Mawley	K. A. Victoria	Molly Bligh	

CARNATIONS.

A SELECTED LIST OF
NEW VARIETIES.

NOVELTIES FOR 1924.

THE following are of particular merit and are specially recommended. Price 2s. 6d. each, postage extra, or the set for 7s. post free.

Tarzan—Ground colour is deep red, edge marked and dotted crimson. Large well formed flowers with smooth edged petals, non-bursting calyx. The growth and habit is vigorous, an excellent variety for garden. Price, 2/6 each

Terence Robinson—Color white striped and splashed with maroon, well formed flowers with non-bursting calyx, bushy growth and long wiry stems. Price, 2/6 each

Tokio—The ground colour is buff, striped and splashed with red and crimson. The flowers are nicely formed and slightly serrated. The stems and calyx are good growth, healthy and vigorous. Price, 2/6 each

The Best of the Recently Introduced Varieties.

The following are the pick of recent introductions. Many beautiful shades are represented and all possess great merit and will prove valuable acquisitions to any Collection.

SPECIAL OFFER.

We will supply a set of 20 of these recent introductions for 27/6, postage and packing free.

Belfast—Crimson suffused orange, heavily marked with chocolate, large and well formed, vigorous. Price, 1/6 each

Clair Leary—A very pretty fancy colour, being apricot ground, shaded and pencilled purple, large flowers with broad smooth-edged petals, growth strong and healthy. Price, 1/6 each

Doris—Color, white ground, edged marked and dotted maroon. The flowers are excellent show form, strong healthy grower, has good stems and calyx. Price, 2/- each

Geisha—Heliotrope with pink centre, changing to clear light heliotrope or mauve, sweetly scented. Price, 1/6 each

Jeanie—The colour is beautiful shell pink, nicely formed flowers, fringed edged and sweetly scented, the plants rather dwarf, strong growing and free flowering. Price, 1/6 each

Marie—Without a doubt one of the finest for the show tray. Perfectly plain edge, white ground, beautifully, but heavily marked scarlet, very large blooms. Price, 1/6 each

Maisie—The flowers are of excellent form, with broad smooth edged petals. The colour is very striking, being pure white ground, edged and marked deep crimson. Absolutely non-bursting calyx. Stiff erect stems; flowers profusely right through the year, healthy habit of growth, good for either garden or show. Price, 1/6 each

Morning Glow—Colour, light rose-pink, fading to pale pink towards the edges. Should be popular with florists. Nicely formed fringed edged flowers, good stem and calyx; plants strong growing and free flowering. Good garden variety. Price, 1/6 each

Mrs. P. L. Stevenson—Pure white ground, with a few markings of scarlet on each petal, a vigorous grower and free flowerer. Flowers of perfect show form, has taken many championships. Very much admired. Price, 1/6 each

Nirvana—Yellow ground with rich markings of scarlet, always in bloom, strong growth, and every flower is perfectly formed. Price, 1/6 each

Owen Carroll—This Carnation has won many prizes. The flower is a beautiful salmon shade which is excellent for decorative work. The stems, calyx, and growth are all that can be desired. The flowers are large and well formed, and it has been proved a good Carnation in every way. Price, 2/6 each

Reliance—A sister variety to "Galacia," possesses the same robust constitution and massive blooms of best show type, with good calyx and flower stems. Color, cream, heavily laced and edged with deep crimson. Price, 2/- each

Roslyn—An unusual and attractive color with large fragrant bloom, ground color pink, thickly dotted and splashed deep crimson. Highly recommended. Price, 1/6 each

Saffron—A clear yellow sport from the well-known "Sunstar," having the same large, well formed fringed edge flowers, and free flowering habit. This is the best yellow Carnation in commerce. Price, 2/6 each

Splashes—Ground color pale pink, splashed and marked with light red; a very pleasing combination. This Carnation is always in flower. Fringed-edged flowers of good form, non-bursting calyx, long stiff stems and excellent growth. Price, 1/6 each

Sunstar—(Imp.) Almost a yellow self, having only a few pink splashes. The flowers average three inches across, greatly admired by all who have seen it. Price, 1/6 each

Salmon Enchantress—The color deep salmon, flowers are large on stiff stem, growth strong and healthy. Price, 1/6 each

The Prince—A pearly white ground Carnation, very distinctly marked crimson on each petal, blooms large and good show form, growth strong and bushy. This is a Carnation that should be in every collection, on account of its distinct color and markings. Price, 1/6 each

The Sheikh—The flower first opens scarlet, later develops into deep strawberry with edge and base of petals scarlet. The growth is strong and vigorous and possesses a winter flowering habit. Price, 2/6 each

Vera—A sport from "Galacia" having all the good qualities of the parent, color a creamy-white ground, with markings of rose-pink, crimson and chocolate. Price, 1/6 each

CARNATIONS

Strong Constitutions. ——— Good Bloomers. ——— Easily Grown.

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(A)—American Type.

Apsley—A sport from "Denet," with its excellent qualities. Flesh pink, with salmon centre, and quite unique.
Alan Newell—The first of the "Galacia" sports, apricot ground, marked with blood red, lavender-pink and chocolate. Excellent for garden or exhibition.
Adeline Carter (P)—Deep reddish-violet with purple markings. Excellent.
Admiral Beatty (P)—White ground, heavily marked purple.
Adria (P)—Yellow ground, well splashed with scarlet.
Avignon (P)—Buff ground dotted and marked bright red. One of the best fancies.
Beatrice Jean (A)—Rich crimson, healthy vigorous grower.
Beauty (P)—Yellow ground lightly striped maroon, large.
Belgium (P)—Scarlet. Winner of many champion prizes.
Brilliance (P)—Bright scarlet with chocolate flakes.
Camille (A)—Salmon-scarlet, sport from Torchlight.
Chancellor—Cream, laced with pale rose.
Coimbra (P)—Distinct fawn, large free bloomer.
Comet (A)—Deep scarlet, blooms the whole year.
Denet (A)—Pale flesh-pink, large with long stems.
Enchantress (A)—Soft pink. Blooms very large.
Enchantress Supreme (A)—Pale salmon-pink, strong calyx.
Fair Maid (A)—Delicate flesh-pink, continuous bloomer.
Glendale—White, pencilled bright red.
Glory (P)—Deep scarlet, particularly fine.
Highfield Beauty—Clear rose pink.
Ideal (P)—A pleasing colour between purple and crimson.
Irma—Bright yellow marked crimson.
Kerslake's Yellow (P)—Clear yellow, fine size and form.
Lyndall (A)—Light crimson of enormous size.
Lilian—A free flowering Perpetual, rich yellow ground edged and speckled red, perfect show form.
Maritza (P)—Probably the finest purple yet introduced.
Marden (P)—White fancy, with heliotrope to purple edgings and markings.

(P)—Australian or English Perpetuals.

Mauve King—Lavender, heliotrope shade.
Mauve Queen (P)—Mauve, overlaid with heliotrope.
Mayence—Deep yellow, markings of chocolate.
Mona—Cerise.
Mother's Day (P)—Probably the finest pure white.
Mrs. Bull—Deep crimson.
Mrs. J. Wren (A)—White ground, striped pink.
Nabob (P)—Pearly white ground, picoteed purplish-maroon.
Pink Sequence—Possessing the same striking qualities as "Sequence," wiry stems and always in flower.
Poulter's Yellow—Probably the deepest yellow in cultivation showing a slight marking of scarlet.
Perilla (P)—Apricot overlaid with salmon.
Planet (A)—Beautiful rose pink, large and non-burster, continuous bloomer.
Robert Williams (P)—Bright orange striped scarlet.
Rose Pink Enchantress (A)—A sport from "Enchantress."
Salmonea (A)—Deep salmon quite distinct.
Sultan (A)—Rich deep crimson, absolutely non-bursting.
Sequence (A)—One of the best scarlets.
Sweet Lavender (P)—Art lavender shade, large blooms.
Salamander—A lovely Carnation of decorative type, good size with stiff stems, growth strong and calyx perfect, colour, beautiful shade of salmon pink.
Torchlight (P)—A most distinct scarlet. Robust.
Verdun (P)—White ground, dark maroon markings.
Venus—A beautiful flower, colour a soft satin pink, stems and growth perfect. A Fine decorative Carnation.
White Enchantress (A)—A sport from the well-known variety,
White Perfection (A)—Pure white beautifully formed flowers,
Winifred—Cream marked with vermilion.

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Price, 1s. each, 10s. per dozen, 60s. per hundred. Potage and packing extra.

DOUBLE and SEMI-DOUBLE VARIETIES.

Dorothy—Deep rose pink, dark rich centre.
Harold—Large double white, symmetrical.
Jean—Pure white, violet centre, distinct.

Mary—Pale rose pink, light maroon centre.
Rufus—Red maroon, fragrant, erect habit.
Susan—Pale lilac, with large black eye, distinct.

SINGLE VARIETIES.

Albert—Pale delicate mauve

Robert—Old rose, with light maroon centre.

Special Offer

12 Plants each of Four Varieties of Perpetual Flowering Pinks (our selection for **35/-** Post and Packing Free.

Flowering and Ornamental Plants.

ASPARAGUS.

These are usually called Asparagus Ferns. They are of climbing habit, with beautiful feathery foliage, and look specially well if grown in pots and trained over a wire globe or frame. They may be planted out at any season, and we have the three leading varieties. Price, 1s. 6d. each (2s. post paid), 16s. dozen packing and postage extra.

ASTERS, PERENNIAL.

(*Michælmass Daisies*).

These form splendid summer and autumn flowering perennials, and are much admired. We can supply twelve of the leading varieties in a good assortment of color, ranging through white, pink, light and dark blue, to purplish red. Price, 1s. to 1s. 6d. each (1s. 6d. to 2s. post paid), 11s. to 16s. per dozen, freight and packing extra. Special list on application.

AZALEAS.

These most attractive evergreen spring-flowering shrubs are very suitable for borders or groups. They do well in partially shaded situations, and should be given a plentiful supply of water during the summer months, they are the better for being mulched during the hot season.

Azaleas are also most excellent plants to grow for flowering early in the glass-house or green-house. They should be grown in fair-sized pots in peaty soil, and very much dislike lime in any form. Price from 2s. each, 22s. per dozen; packing and freight extra. We have all the leading sorts. Special List on application.

Azalea Mollis—In three colors, viz., Orange, Yellow, and Rosy Orange. This is quite a distinct class, the plants losing their leaves during the winter months, and in the spring bearing their flowers in great profusion. We have a nice lot of plants from 2s. 6d. upwards, according to size.

BOUVARDIAS.

Special Collection—See Page 109

No plants do better in the warmer parts of Australia than Bouvardias. They require a little protection from hot winds, and in the cooler districts they should be lifted and kept under shelter in pots during the winter, or they may be cut down and protected with hay or straw. They like a light, well-drained, heavily-manured soil, and do well planted between roses. Many varieties are beautifully scented, and they are unrivalled for bouquets and table decorations. Price 1s. each (or 1s. 6d. post paid), 11s. per dozen, packing and postage extra.

Alfred Neuner—Double white, very hardy, free flowering.
Beauty of Brisbane—A pure white, free flowering.
Bockii—Bright pink, with white throat, very good.
Duchess of York—Deep blush pink, changing to heliotrope
Enid Oliver—A pale pink shade.
Ethel Kerslake—Large, pure white. 1s. 6d.
Federal Queen—Bright scarlet, single, excellent.
Hogarthii, Fl. Pl.—Light scarlet flowers, double variety.
Humboldtii Corymbiflora—Snow-white, highly scented.
King of Scarlets—Deep scarlet, free flowering. 1s. 6d.
Mabel Porter—Dark scarlet, very large flowers.
Mascot—Scarlet white centre, large flower and truss, single.
Miss Eileen Beeston—Large flowers of pale pink, sweetly scented, free flowering. 1s. 6d.
Miss Ida Cheesman—Pale pink, tube and reverse deeper shade, sweetly scented, free flowering. 1s. 6d.
Mrs. G. H. Kerslake—Ivory white, large, fragrant, 1s. 6d.
Mrs. H. Gazzard—Very free blooming, bearing immense trusses of soft rosy-carmine flowers, quite distinct, 1s. 6d.
Mrs Mc Cullock—Produces immense trusses of large flowers of reddish salmon color. very distinct, 1s. 6d.
President Cleveland—Intense dark scarlet, single.
President Garfield—Double Pink.
Priory Beauty—Pale satin rose, single.
Salmon Queen—Color Salmon, with a dark tube.

We can supply a number of other popular varieties

BEGONIAS,

PERPETUAL FLOWERING TREE.

Special Collection—See Page 109

These are very handsome, and succeed admirably either in the bush-house or a sheltered position outside, but not in a sunny situation. They will grow to six feet high, if supported, or can be kept to two or three feet, if required. They are seldom out of flower, and even through the winter produce enormous trusses of bloom of the most delicate shade of rose, blush, scarlet, and cerise, and the foliage is very ornamental. We offer the following splendid varieties. Price (except where otherwise mentioned) 1s. 6d. each, postage 6d. extra.

Beatrice Rosby—Bright Pink, good bloomer.

Corallina—Rosy cerise, light green foliage.

Corallina Delicata—Pale rose, very floriferous.

Lucerna—The best of all. Very large trusses of delicately tinted blooms, very free flowering, vigorous grower.

Mabel Roseby—Beautiful creamy white, large trusses, and very pretty foliage.

President Carnot—After the style of Lucerna.

Smithii—Large cerise flowers, handsome foliage, spotted white.

CAMELLIAS.

Special Collection—See Page 109

These favorite plants admirably adapt themselves to our climate. The best soil is a strong, deep, well-drained loam, with liberal manuring once a year. In favorable soil the tree will grow to a height of from twelve to twenty feet. With proper attention, fine specimens can be grown in large pots or ornamental tubs for decorative purposes. They will bloom from May to September. We offer thirty of the best varieties, including those mentioned below (many of the plants being set with flower-buds). Price 3s. each, packing and freight extra (except where otherwise mentioned). Special prices by the hundred on application.

Alba Plena—5s.

Augusta Superba—Pink cupped

C. H. Hovey—Velvety crimson, shaded violet

Candidissima—White, beautiful

Comtesse Callina—Pure white, fine

Dionisia Poniotowski—Pure white, good

Defiance—Bright-red

Fimbriata Alba—Splendid, white fringed. 5s.

Great Eastern—Bright-red, very showy

Harriet Beecher Sheather—Rosy salmon, fine flower

Henri Favre—Salmon rose, fine shape

Helenor—Carnation striped

Isabella—Large and handsome, white, late

Lady St Clair—Clear flesh, one of the finest

Lavinia Maggi—White, crimson blotches

Miranda—Pure white

Madame Ambrose Verschafelt—White, striped red

Princess Louise—Pure white, first-class

Pauline Maggi—White

Sulphurous—Deep red, large

Sarah Frost—Crimson

Tabbs—Red, mottled and striped white

Venus de Medici—Crimson, veined rose

Triumph de Wondeghelm—Deep red, blotched white

Wrightii—Rich crimson, large

CANNAS, NEW GIANT FLOWERING.

Special Collection—See Page 109

These superb summer-flowering bulbs do exceedingly well in our warm dry climate, their stately foliage and gorgeous colored blooms giving a very rich effect to the garden, especially when grown in large clumps. We can supply the roots at any time during the autumn, winter, and early spring; and have a particularly fine collection of best and latest varieties. List on application. 1s. each: 11s. dozen.

FLOWERING & ORNAMENTAL PLANTS--(continued)



Chrysanthemums

At our Concord Nurseries we have probably the finest Collection in this State; in September we issue a special catalogue of same. We shall be glad to send this post free on application.

Special Offer.—24 magnificent varieties (our selection) 17s. 6d. postage and packing free.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS FRUTESCENS (MARGUERITE).

Mrs. F. Sander—A splendid introduction, producing a profusion of snow-white blooms. Centre of blossom is semi-double, and a plant covered with flowers looks most attractive. 1s. 6d. each.

Andersoni—White with black centre. **Single White** and **Single Yellow**. 1s. each, postage extra

NEW SHASTA or OX-EYE DAISY (EXCELSIOR).

(*Chrysanthemum Maximum* Var.)

A beautiful large new Daisy, of extremely floriferous character and most useful for cutting. The flowers are large and the yellow centre is surrounded by beautiful glistening white petals. Blooms are carried on good stems and are most effective for decoration; quite the best of its class. 1s. each, postage extra.

ERICA (The Heath.)

These beautiful flowering plants are to be highly recommended, and thrive best in peaty soil. Manure should not be put near the roots. We can offer a number of the leading dwarf varieties. List on application. 3s. each, 33s. dozen; packing and freight extra.

FERNS.

A good collection of ferns should be grown by all who have a bush-house or a sheltered corner, with side and slight overhead protection. The hardier varieties do well under this treatment, and include some of the prettiest plants grown. To those who have a glass-house and can give the plants the necessary little extra heat, we would specially recommend the choice variety of ferns, especially the new *Nephrolepis*, *Adiantums* (Maiden Hair) and *Pteris*. We can supply all the leading varieties.

Adiantum (Maiden Hair)—20 Varieties, from 1s. 6d.

Alsophilas (Tree Fern)—From 1s. 6d.

Aspleniums—Sorts, from 1s. 6d.

Blechnum Braziliense—From 2s.

Cyrtomium—Three varieties, from 1s. 6d.

Davallia (Hares Foot)—From 1s. 6d.

Dicksonia, (Tree Fern)—From 3s. 6d.

Gymnogramma (Golden Fern)—From 2s.

Lomaria—From 1s. 6d.

Lygodium (Climbing Fern)—From 1s. 6d.

Microlepia—From 1s. 6d.

Nephrolepis (Many varieties)—From 1s.

Onychium—From 1s. 6d.

Platynerium (Elk Horn)—From 2s. 6d.

Platynerium (Stag Horn)—From 3s. 6d.

Polystichum—From 1s. 6d.

Pteris—Many sorts, from 1s. 6d.

Selaginella—Several sorts, from 1s. 6d.

Tree Fern Trunks, butts 3s. 6d.; 1 ft. trunks 6s.; 2 ft. trunks 7s. 6d.; 3 ft. trunks 8s. 6d.; 4 ft. trunks 10s.; 5 ft. trunks 15s.

Fern Baskets, very choice, from 3s. 6d. to 10s. 6d. each.

COLEUS PLANTS

We can supply strong-rooted plants of these favorite foliage plants in the spring, propagated from extra fine varieties of our well-known Concord hybrids. They have a magnificent and gorgeous range of colors and markings; some have plain edged leaves, others are fringed and laciniated. Coleus thrive in rich soil, with plenty of heat and moisture and a fair amount of light; being protected from only the fiercest rays of the sun. As they require a warm climate, they should not be ordered till spring. Price 1s. each 11s. dozen, or seedlings 3s. 6d. dozen, freight and packing extra.

FUCHSIAS

These old favorites are particularly well suited for the bush-house or shady position in the open borders. If kept well watered, and with occasional application of liquid manure, they will last in bloom for several months, after which they should be well cut back. They can be grown without much trouble, and make splendid decorative plants. Any good garden soil will grow them.

We have over fifty varieties including those below mentioned. 1s. each, 11s. dozen, freight and packing extra.

DOUBLE

Avalanche—Tube and sepals crimson, purple corolla.

De Cherville—Large double rose corolla, sepals dark red.

Diamant—Tube and sepals bright rose, large white corolla. Excellent.

Jubilee—Sepals crimson, rosy-mauve corolla, large.

Jumna—Bright crimson sepals, rich purple corolla.

Madam Jules Chretien—Short, sepals reflexed, crimson, snow-white corolla.

Lena—Tube and sepals light blush, violet-purple corolla.

Molesworth—Sepals bright carmine, reflexed, corolla large, pure white.

Monument—Corolla deep purple, outer petals striped carmine, tube and sepals crimson.

Phenomenal—Short tube and reflexed, sepals crimson, corolla azure-violet, flaked-red.

Storm King—(syn. Frau Emma Topfer). Sepals rosy-coral, corolla rosy-blush.

White Jubilee—(syn. Countess of Hopetoun). Enormous sepals, red reflexed corolla.

SINGLE

Beauty of Exeter—Rosy-pink, large.

Elegance—Deep purple, corolla broadly striped pale red, sepals crimson, very effective.

Fair Maid—Tube and sepals tinted blush, corolla deep carmine.

General Roberts—Sepals rose, corolla crimson.

Julius—Single, long, bright red sepals, large corolla rosy-lavender, showy.

R. U. Nicholls—Rich crimson, large flowered and waxy self colored.

HYBRID AND WINTER FLOWERING

These vary from the ordinary Fuchsias, the flowers being narrow tubes up to three inches in length, and freely produced in bunches of ten or twelve. They are very useful for winter blooming, and the foliage of many sorts is extremely showy. We have all the best varieties.

Mrs. C— Rosehill via Gin Gin, Qld.

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"The parcel of Roses and Bouvardias to hand in splendid condition. When I opened the plants, I could hardly believe they had come all the way from Sydney."

FLOWERING & ORNAMENTAL PLANTS—(continued)

GERBERAS.

These magnificent perennials require a light soil, and it is absolutely necessary for the drainage to be perfect, for they cannot be grown satisfactorily in badly drained situations. They do best in warm sunny positions, and in cold climates the plants should be protected during the winter months. We have a nice lot of plants and can supply pure white, various shades of pink, red, yellow, magenta, bronze, buff and cerise. Price 1s. 6d. each, 16s. per dozen; packing and carriage extra.

PALMS.

No plants are more graceful or better adapted for house or table decoration, the Kentias and Cocos being particularly suitable, whilst many other varieties—such as *Brahea*, *Chamaerops*, and *Phoenix*—are excellent for outdoor cultivation in all except the coolest parts, and should be, if possible, planted during the spring and summer, they will then make good growth before the winter.

When the selection is left to ourselves, we will always send good-shaped, graceful plants, and hardy varieties.

When used for house decoration, Palms should not be kept continuously indoors for too long. By placing outside occasionally, especially in the evening and during showers, they will be much benefited. The regular watering should be made a special care. If the leaves are sponged with soapy water every fortnight, it will keep them free from scale and dust; care should be taken, however, to syringe or wash them with fresh water afterwards. We can supply the best varieties.

Areca Baueri—30ft., from 2s. 6d.

Areca Sapida—25ft., from 2s. 6d.

Brahea (see *Washingtonia*).

Chamaerops, *Excelsa*—20ft., from 2s.

Chamaerops, *Humilis*—From 2s. 6d.

Corypha *Australis* (Cabbage Palm)—100ft., from 2s.

Cocos, *Plumosus*—40ft., from 2s. 6d.

Cocos, *Weddeliana*—From 3s. 6d.

Cycas, *Revoluta*—8ft., from 5s.

Kentia, *Belmoreana*—15ft., from 1s. 6d.

Kentia, *Canterburyana*—10ft., from 2s.

Kentia, *Fosteriana*—15ft., from 1s. 6d.

Phoenix, *Dactylifera* (Date)—20ft., from 2s. 6d.

Phoenix, *Canariensis*—15ft., from 2s.

Phoenix, *Reclinata*—12ft., from 2s.

Seaforthia, *Elegans* (Bangalow)—100ft., from 2s.

Washingtonia, *Filifera* (*Brahea Filamentosa*)—Also known as *Railway Station*, and *Cotton Palm*, does well in warmer parts, and is quick growing. Plant in 4in. pots, from 1s. 6d. each, also larger specimens, up to 10s. 6d. each.

POLYANTHUS PRIMROSES.

This splendid type is much more easily grown than the old true Primrose. In our warmer districts they should be planted in good stiff soil, under a south wall, and be well protected from hot westerly winds. They should be kept moist and will respond with a magnificent show of bloom in the early spring. The flowers are of brilliant coloring, ranging from pure white, through cream and yellow, to orange. We offer them in six assorted tints. Price 6d. each, 5s. per dozen; freight and packing extra.

PETUNIAS.

Double and Single Varieties.

Price 1s. each, 11s. per dozen, postage extra.

Splendid flowering plants, very hardy, and succeeding well in all moderately warm and hot climates, making a most glorious show of color, and will remain in flower for a long season.

PENTSTEMONS

(Gloxinia-Flowered).

These gorgeous flowering plants do particularly well in Australian gardens. They are most easily grown, standing heat and drought better than almost any other border plants. They are constantly in bloom, and if they are attended to in the way of cutting away old blooms, given regular watering and manuring, they respond wonderfully. The varieties we offer are a wonderful improvement on the old type. The flowers are equally good for border decoration or for cutting. We can supply good plants from January to August.

Price 1s. each, 11s. per dozen. packing and postage extra.

Special Collection—See Page 109

A. J. Timms—Purple red, shading to white, cream throat, lip blotched chocolate.

Baltic—Cerise lip and tube, pencilled maroon, white throat

E. Lulham—Blush, with clear cream throat, very attractive

G. A. Biddolph—Tube soft rose, throat pure white, lip flushed rosy heliotrope, picotee edged, extra large spike of perfectly formed flowers.

General Birdwood—The tube is crimson with a white throat striped with dark maroon. Spikes, large and full flowered.

Gigantea—Color deep rose lake, throat white, the orifice blotched with deep rose, immense blooms.

G. H. Kerslake—Purplish red, white throat, lip striped chocolate.

Gloria—Tube and segments brilliant vermillion, white throat, gigantic blooms.

H. B. Hedley—Tube cerise, white throat, pencilled deep maroon, the lip is crimson.

Hercules—Tube crimson, segments scarlet, throat white, slightly pencilled scarlet, very long spike.

J. H. Horton—Purple, lip maroon, white throat, streaked maroon.

Mrs. Arthur Yates—A very charming variety. Color, a delicate heliotrope, with pure white throat, good spikes.

Mrs. H. Gazzard—Bronzy purple tube, lip clear violet, throat white, faintly pencilled violet.

Mrs. H. B. Hedley—Cream throat, pencilled chocolate. Lip and tube crimson, very fine. Large spikes of bloom.

Peace—A very delicate blush-shade throughout, large trusses, most attractive.

Phenomenal—Pure white throat, tube and segments rosy lake, immense flowers, fine spikes.

President Wilson—A beautiful rosy salmon tube, and a lip with a throat of pure white,

Princess Patrick—Tube and lip magenta. Pure white throat, long well-developed stripes.

Purpurea—Reddish purple, with white throat, heavily veined and marked.

Queen Mary—Salmon, with a cream throat lightly striped with a darker shade. Beautiful large spikes.

V.C.—A magnificent, large, vivid scarlet flower, with a pure white throat slightly splashed with chocolate.

Victory—A very fine deep crimson flower, blotched with chocolate, the throat is cream, very fine large spikes.

Vivid—Color deep scarlet, throat white, pencilled and blotched at the orifice with crimson.

We exercise the greatest care in packing, but we cannot undertake to replace trees, plants or seedlings lost through inexperience in planting, delay in transit or from any other cause beyond our control.

FLOWERING & ORNAMENTAL PLANTS—(continued)

PELARGONIUMS.

ZONALE, SINGLE and DOUBLE.

(OFTEN CALLED GERANIUMS.)

Special Collection—See Page 109

These are by far the most popular and hardiest for out door culture. They are splendid for bedding. The newer varieties are a great improvement on the old-fashioned geraniums. The blooms are three times as large and the colors wonderfully bright and beautiful. They will thrive in almost any soil, but like a light sunny situation. They should be cut back each year in January or February. We can supply all the standard varieties, write for full list. The following can be specially recommended. Price 1s each, 11s. per dozen; packing and postage extra.

(D.) Double. (S.) Single.

Aldenharn (S.)—Rich crimson, very large and good.
Caesar (D.)—Reddish violet.
Crabbe—(S.)—Cherry red, borne on large trusses.
Hedewige Buchner (D.)—Snow white, enormous trusses.
James Kelway (S.)—Vivid scarlet, immense bloom.
J. M. Barry (S.)—Bright cerise, bloom three inches across.
Madame H. Tilmant (D.)—Centre white, margined scarlet
Mark Twain (S.)—White ground, flaked carmine.
Alexandra (Semi-double)—Magenta pink, very fine.
Chatsworth (S.)—A very brilliant scarlet.
Dainty (D.)—Delicate pale pink and white, large trusses.
H. Compton (S.)—Deep pink, with white eye.
Judith Chandler (S.)—Very large vivid scarlet, excellent.
Kleber (D.)—Magnificent deep purple magenta.
Lady Brooke (S.)—White, delicately flushed salmon, very fine.
Miss E. David (S.)—Deep pink, white eye, large trusses.
Mrs Pole. Routh (S.)—Salmon, excellent.
Eucharis (S.)—Beautiful pure white.

IVY LEAVED, SINGLE AND DOUBLE.

Specially suited for climbing and trailing over banks, trellises, etc. The blooms are of all shades and very showy. We can supply all the leading varieties; list on application. Price 1s. each, 11s per dozen; packing and postage extra.

REGAL DECORATIVE and SHOW.

These are suitable either for pot culture, or growing in the garden, and are particularly effective. We have a very fine collection, and many varieties are exceedingly showy. List on application. When grown in the open they do best in poor soil. Price 2s. each, 22s. per dozen, packing and carriage extra.

PERENNIAL PHLOXES.

Special Collection See page 109

The immense flowers and huge trusses produced by these latest varieties should command a place in the gardens of all growers of high-class hardy perennials. They can be supplied in autumn or spring. Price 1s. each, (postage 6d. extra), 11s. per dozen, postage or freight extra.

Africa—Bright cerise, with dark pip, large and excellent.
Asia—Rosy lilac, shaded carmine, pink eye, large trusses.
Beranger—Soft rose, shaded salmon pink, heliotrope eye, large pip and truss.
Devonia—Soft reddish salmon, eye red, large flowers.
Esperance—Beautiful clear heliotrope, white eye, very large pip and truss.
Etna—Reddish salmon, large truss of well formed flowers.
Fiancee—Pure white, eye lemon, very large truss.
Iris—Bluish violet, with dark eye, pip and truss large.
Le Mahdi—Violet blue, the best of this shade.

PERENNIAL PHLOXES—Continued

Mrs. Kerslake—Delicate pink, red eye.
Mrs. A. J. Tymms—Rose-lilac, soft red eye, immense flowers.
Ostara—Salmon-pink, very pleasing shade, large flowers.
Pearl—Pure white, large handsome truss of large well formed flowers.
Philibert Andrebrand—Pinkish-white, carmine centre.
Sesostis—Rich deep purple, large pips and trusses.
Suffrage—Salmon-red, purple eye, large pip.
Superb—Rich cerise, crimson eye, large branching spike of large flowers.
Turquoise—Rich bluish-violet, blackish-crimson eye, large pip and truss.
William Ramsay—Dark purplish-violet, dark eye, big truss.
Wm. Veitch—White, eye reddish-violet.
Wm. Wright—Bright purplish-red, large truss and flowers.

VIOLETS

The following prices are per dozen plants, postage 6d. extra. Less than six at proportionally higher rates,
 All Singles 4d. each, 3s. doz.; Doubles, 6d. each, 5s. doz.
Admiral Avellan—Single, purple-crimson.
California—Single, deep blue.
Count Brazza—Double white.
Cyclops—Single, deep blue, with a centre rosette of a much lighter color, free bloomer, and highly perfumed.
Emperor—Single, deep blue, very large, with long stems, excellent.
Excelsior—Single, light blue.
John Raddenbury—Single, blue.
La France—Single, blue, with metallic lustre, large and very fragrant.
Luxonne—Single, dark blue, large flowers, long stems.
Madame Millet—Double, rose.
Marie Louise—Double, blue.
May Jackson—Single, pale blue, large.
Neapolitan—Double, mauve.
Princess of Wales—Single, blue.
The Czar—Single, dark blue.
Victoria—Single, light blue.
White Czar—Single, white.



PENTSTEMONS—See Page 39

Cupressus, Pines and other Conifers

Very suitable for planting in private gardens, parks, or cottage gardens. They are of very easy culture, preferring a deep, rich, and rather heavy soil, which is better for being trenched eighteen to twenty inches. The Pines, Cupressus, &c., form good breakwinds (Insignis and Torulosus being especially planted for this purpose).

SPECIAL QUOTATIONS PER 100.

SHELTER BELTS

Cupressus Torulosus (From Cuttings)

Specially Grown for this Purpose.

STOCK-OWNERS have long realised the need for good close-growing wind-breaks. Cupressus Torulosus we believe to be the best thing yet found for this purpose. It only grows some 20 feet high, but the foliage is close and thick from the ground level. Planted eight feet between each plant, they will, in a few years form a wind shelter equal to a high well-built paling fence. Every practical man knows what that means for stock; and the improvement is permanent.

This plant is exceptionally hardy, standing in almost any climate and transplanting well. It is also very ornamental. The growth is symmetrical; the color is light green in the younger growths changing later to bluish tints.

Like all Conifers, Cupressus is a little slow in growth during the first year or two, but the trees we offer are already two to three years old, and 2 to 3 feet high, and well furnished, and in three years after planting they should be from 8 feet to 10 feet high. We can supply extra fine strong plants—well packed.

Price—From 4s. 6d. to 5s. each. From 48s. to 54s. dozen, and from £16 10s. to £20 100.

Abies Beautiful trees of symmetrical growth, resembling the Scotch Firs. They look especially well when making new growth in the spring, are quite hardy and grow from 60 to 100 feet. EACH
We can offer six varieties ... 2 6

Araucarias These make splendid ornamental trees, and are unrivalled for symmetry of growth and cleanliness. They stand heat well and require very little attention. **Bidwilli** (Bunya Bunya) forms a handsome tree of regular and symmetrical habit, with shiny, deep green leaves, and very prickly. **Excelsa** does very well on the coast, is a quick grower and very hardy. **Imbricata** (Monkey Puzzle) makes splendid specimens for lawns.
Bidwilli (Bunya Bunya)—50 feet ... 2 0
Excelsa (Norfolk Island Pine)—100 feet ... 2 0
Imbricata (Monkey Puzzle)—40 to 60 feet ... 5 0

Cedrus (Cedars) Form beautiful trees of graceful habit, succeeding well in all parts of the country. Excellent for general planting. Very hardy and of fairly rapid growth. **Deodara** is specially well adapted for lawns and drives.
Atlantica (Silver Cedar)—80 feet ... 2 6
Deodara (Indian Cedar)—50 feet ... 2 6

Cryptomeria Splendid ornamental trees, with very handsome foliage.
Two varieties—50 feet ... 2 0

Cupressus (Cypress) These are the most largely grown of all the Conifers, and include a large number and variety of beautiful quick-growing trees. **Lambertiana**, one of the best of these, is very quick-growing, well branched, and very hardy.
Funebris (Funeral Cypress)—30 feet ... 1 6
Lawsoniana Glauca—Distinct, very fast grower, 30 feet ... 1 6
Lambertiana Aurea (The Golden Cypress)—Very beautiful and strongly recommended, 30 feet ... 3 6
Lambertiana Horizontalis—30 feet ... 3 6
Macrocarpa—30 feet ... 1 6
Macrocarpa Aurea—This will prove specially valuable, either as a single specimen or for hedge purposes. Very quick growing and of upright habit ... 12 feet 3 6
Torulosus—Very quick growing, suitable for hedges and shelter belts, 20 ft., from cuttings ... 2 6
Makes a magnificent hedge and a grand ornamental or shelter tree.

Fokienia Hodginsi Quite distinct; upper surface of leaf is green, the lower being marked with clear white band. This introduction received a special First Class Certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society of England. Nice, well established young plants.
40 feet ... 3 6

Juniperus (Juniper) Hardy upright Conifers, which will thrive in any climate; quite distinct in form and foliage from Cupressus or Pines. EACH
We can supply five varieties ... 1s. 6d. to 2 0

Larix Europea (Larch) Hardy, 50 feet ... 2 0

Libocedrus Decurrens (Incense Tree)
A very fine evergreen, densely branched, conical shape ... 2 6

Pinus (Pines) This family includes some of the finest trees in cultivation; they are hardy, quick-growing, and make beautiful specimens.
Insignis (Remarkable Pine) ... 1 6
Canariensis (Canary Pine)—40 feet ... 1 6
Halepensis (Aleppo Pine)—Does particularly well near the coast, 80 to 100 feet ... 1 6
Maritima (Cluster Pine)—50 feet ... 1 6
Pinea (Stone Pine)—Does best in sandy soil near the sea, 60 feet ... 1 6
Sylvestris (Scotch Fir)—80 feet ... 2 0
And many others.

Podocarpus Form beautiful shade trees.
Two varieties—30 feet ... 1 6

Retinospora Tree shrubs, resembling the Cypress family ... 1 6

Salisburia Adiantifolia (Maiden Hair Tree)
A beautiful tree, which assumes glorious tints in the autumn. Deciduous.
40 feet ... 2 0

Taxodium Sempervirens
Quick-growing—80 feet ... 2 6

Taxus (Yew) Very handsome, hardy, compact, with good foliage.
20 feet ... 3 0

Thuja Compact growth, hardy anywhere except in the coldest districts.
Four varieties—30 to 50 feet... 1s. 6d. to 2 0

Thujopsis Hardy evergreen Conifer, resembling the Thuja.
Three varieties—40 feet ... 2 0

Wellingtonia Gigantea 200 ft., from 3 6

PACKING—A minimum charge of 6d. will be made for small orders, 1s. to 1s. 6d. per dozen for large orders.

Ornamental Trees & Shrubs

The heights given of Trees and Shrubs are necessarily only an indication of average growths under ordinary conditions. The quality of the soil, rainfall, and the care and attention or otherwise given the plants all very materially affect their well-being and vigorous growth.

E signifies Evergreen.
D signifies Deciduous.
 * denotes varieties best for cool districts.
 † denotes varieties which will do best in the warmer districts

	EACH		EACH
Abutilon (Chinese Lantern)—E† Quick-growing, handsome, 5 feet. We can supply fifteen leading varieties of this showy flowering shrub	1 6	Arbutus Unedo (Strawberry Tree)—E*† Ornamental, hardy, pretty flower and fruit, 25 ft.	2 0
Acacia —The following are very quick growing, and especially suitable for breakwinds, etc. They succeed in all but extreme climates.		Arduina Grandiflora (Cape Plum)—E* Beautiful white flowering shrub, strongly scented, 5 feet	2 0
Acola (or Nerifolia)—E† Yellow, 8 feet, weeping habit	2 0	Ash —D* See Fraxinus.	
Baileyana (Cootamundra Silver Wattle)—E*† 25 feet	1 6	Ash, Mountain —D* See Pyrus.	
Cultriformis —E*† Orange yellow blossom, 8 feet	2 0	Aucuba Japonica —E* Beautiful variegated leaves, 4 feet. Suitable for planting under trees or in shrubberies in shade	2 6
Dealbata (Silver Wattle)—E*† 15 feet	1 6	Bambusa (Bamboo, various)—E† ... 1s. 6d. to	2 6
Decurrens (Black Wattle)—E*† 25 feet	1 6	" Arundinacea from	5 0
Elata —E*† Fast grower and splendid shade tree, 30 feet	1 6	Bauhinia Alba —E† 20 feet	2 6
Farnesiana —E*† Good yellow	2 0	Bauhinia Purpurea (Mountain Ebony)—E† Handsome evergreen, for warm climates only, 25 ft.	2 0
Lophantha —E*† Fern leaved variety, 10 ft.	1 6	Beech —D* See Fagus.	
Mollissima Floribunda —E*† 10 feet	1 0	Benthamia Fragifera (Himalayan Strawberry)—E* Flowers large and white, reddish fruit, very effective, 10 feet	2 0
Nemu —E*† Tall flowering, yellow, 15 feet	1 6	Bird of Paradise Tree —D† See Poinciana.	
Podalyraefolia (Queensland Silver Wattle)—E*† A very choice variety	1 6	Boronia Megastigma (Sweet Scented Boronia)—E* Requires moist situation, 3 feet	3 0
Pruinosa —E*† Yellow, 12 feet... ..	1 6	Brachychiton Acerifolia (Flame Tree of Illawarra)—E† Bright scarlet flowers and very dense foliage, 60 feet	1 6
Pycnantha (Golden Wattle)—E*† 30 feet	2 0	Browallia Jamiesonii —E† Yellow, 8 feet	1 6
Spectabilis —Specially good variety, 15 feet	2 0	Brugmansia (White)—E† Quick grower, constantly in bloom, has large pure white flowers, and very showy, 10 feet	2 0
Acer —		Brunfelsia (Three varieties) — E† Very free-flowering, 6 feet	2 6
Platanoides (Norway Maple)—D* 70 feet	2 6	Buddleia —	
Pseudo Platanus (Sycamore or False Plane)—D* 60 feet	2 6	Globosa —E*† Orange flowers, 10 feet... ..	1 6
Saccharinum (American Sugar or Bird's Eye Maple)—D* 40 feet	2 6	Lindleyana —E*† Mauve, 8 feet... ..	1 6
Japanese Maples. We can also supply a number of these beautiful shrubs, they are of gorgeous foliage and dwarf habit, growing only 5 to 10 ft.	5 0	Veitchiana —E*† Lilac flowering, deliciously scented, a splendid introduction	1 6
Acmena —E† See Eugenia.		Veitchiana Purpurea — E*† Purple flowers, 6 feet	1 6
Aesculus —		Buxus Arborea (Tree Box)—E* Dense foliage, 10 ft.	2 0
Hippocastanum (Horse Chestnut)—D* Single whit flowers, 40 feet	2 6	Callistemon (Scarlet Bottle Brush) Three varieties —E*† Very ornamental and free-flowering, native plant, 10 feet	2 0
Hippocastanum Fl. Pl. —D* Double white	3 0	Calodendron Capensis (Cape Chestnut)—E† Beautiful flowering tree, highly recommended, 40 ft.	2 6
Rubicunda —Single scarlet flowers D*	3 0	Calycanthus Floridus (Allspice)—D*† Very hardy, 4 feet	2 0
Agave Americana (Aloe)—10 feet E†	1 6	Camphor Laurel —E† Quick growing evergreen, 50 feet	1 6
Ailanthus Glandulosa (Tree of Heaven) — D* Produces large clusters of reddish crimson flowers, 30 feet, suckers badly	1 6	Cape Honeysuckle —E† See Protea.	
Alectron Excelsum —E* Handsome, hardy, 20 feet	2 6	Cape Plum —E* See Arduina.	
Allamanda Nerifolia —E† Useful, hardy, yellow blossom, 3 feet	2 0	Carob Tree —E† See Ceratonia.	
Aloe —E† See Agave.		Cassia Candolleana —E† Strong growing, beautiful clusters of yellow flowers, 12 feet	1 6
Aloysia Citriodora (Scented Verbena) — D† Beautiful, sweet scented, 6 feet	1 6	Cassia Candolleana —E*† Strong growing, beautiful clusters of yellow flowers, 12 feet	1 6
Amygdalus Persica (Double Flowering Peach)—D*† Beautiful spring flowering, four colors, white, light pink, dark pink and red, 12 feet	2 0	Castanea Vesca (Sweet or Spanish Chestnut)—D* Flowers yellowish, very ornamental, requires rich soil, 50 feet	2 6
Apple, Double Flowering —D* Beautiful spring flowering, 12 feet... ..	2 6	Castanospermum Australis (Moreton Bay Chestnut)—E† Handsome flowering, 25 feet	2 0
Apple, Single Flowering Crab (Malus Floribunda Purpurea)—D* The darkest red of Ornamental Crab Apples. The flowers are large, single crimson or bright cherry red; the stamens are pink, with purplish fillet; buds blood red. The foliage, bronzy purple when young, changes to dark bronzy green. The wood under the bark is violaceous blood-red and rosy inside. The fruits are produced in clusters of two to five, are deep blood red in color, turning scarlet red in autumn. Strong, open ground plants, on blight-proof stocks	2 6	Catalpa (Four varieties)—D* Deep green foliage and greenish yellow flowers, very ornamental, 15 to 20 feet	2 0

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Castor Oil Plant —E† See <i>Ricinus</i> .					
Cedar, White —D† See <i>Melia</i> .					
Cerasus (Laurel, English and Portuguese)—E* Good for shelter, make excellent hedges, 20 feet	1	6	Dracaena (Various)—E† Hardy, effective in large plantations, 15 feet	1	6
Ceratonia Siliqua (Carob Tree)—E† Hardy ever- green, 16 feet	2	0	Duranta (White and Blue)—E* Pretty dwarf shrub, 6 feet	1	6
Ceratopetalum Gummiferum (Australian Christmas Bush)—E† One of our handsomest native trees and easy to grow, 50 feet... ..	2	6	Elderberry —D* See <i>Sambucus</i> .		
Cestrum (White, Orange, and Purple)—E† Free growing and profuse flowering, 10 feet ...	1	6	Eleagnus Variegatus —E* A beautiful plant, with gold variegation. The reverse of the leaf is silver colored. Also makes excellent hedges, 10 feet	2	0
Cherry, Double Flowering —D* Beautiful spring flowering, 12 feet... ..	3	6	Elms —D* See <i>Ulmus</i> .		
Chestnuts —			Erica —E*	3	0
Cape —E* See <i>Calodendron</i> .			Erythrina Arborea (Coral Tree)—D† Very hardy, produces large clusters of brilliant red flowers, thrives even in poor soil, 20 feet ...	1	6
Horse —D* See <i>Æsculus</i> .			Escallonia (Five varieties)—E* Compact, free flowering, 6 feet	1	6
Moreton Bay —E* See <i>Castanospermum</i> .			Eucalyptus —		
Sweet or Spanish —D* See <i>Castanea</i> .			Botryoides —Fine shelter tree, 30 feet ...	1	6
Chinese Lanterns —E† See <i>Abutilon</i> .			Calophylla Rosea —E† Similar to <i>Ficifolia</i> , but rosy pink flowers	2	0
Choisya Ternata (White)—E*† Sweet scented, 4 ft.	2	0	Citriodora (Lemon Gum)—E† Highly per- fumed, 25 feet	1	6
Christmas Bush, Australian —E† See <i>Ceratopetalum</i> .			Corynocalyx (Sugar Gum)—E† Very valu- able, handsome, 50 feet	1	6
Christia Grandiflora —E† A showy evergreen, with red and yellow blossoms... ..	2	0	per dozen, 11s.; per 100, 80s.		
Clethra Arborea (Lily of the Valley Tree)—E*† Has pure white flowers, very like the Lily of the Valley, from which it gets the name. Does not like excessive heat, 10 feet	2	0	Ficifolia (Red Flowering Gum)—E† Beautiful flowering, 20 feet	2	0
Clanthus Puniceus (Pink or White)—E* Very beautiful, 6 feet	2	0	Globulus (Tasmanian Blue Gum)—E† Val- uable, quick growing, 100 feet	1	6
Coprosma —E* Ornamental, variegated foliage, 6 feet	1	6	Leucoxydon Rosea (Pink Flowering Ironbark) —E† 40 feet	2	0
Coral Tree —E† See <i>Erythrina</i> .			Eugenia (Lillipilli) Four varieties — E† Beautiful evergreen, producing handsome flowers and berries, 15 feet	2	0
Corynocarpus (Karaka Tree of N.Z.)—E* 30 feet ...	1	6	per dozen, 11s.; per 100, 80s.		
Cotoneaster (Rock Spray) Three varieties—E* Good for covering and trailing over walls, etc., 3 to 8 feet	2	0	Euonymus (Five varieties)—E* Handsome, hardy foliage, and beautiful red berries, making it very conspicuous, 8 feet	2	0
Crataegus (Double Hawthorn) Pink, White, or Red—D* Hardy, flower profusely in the spring, and are very pretty and effective, 12 feet	2	6	Euphorbia Splendens —D*† Very hardy, grows well in rockery or poor soils, crimson blooms, 5 feet	2	0
Crotolaria Trifoliatastrum (Yellow)—E† Very pretty pea-like flowers	1	6	Exochorda Alberti (Pearl Bush)—E* Pure white flowers; one of the loveliest shrubs, 6 feet ...	2	0
Cydonia (Japanese Flowering Quinces) — D*† Beautiful early spring flowering shrubs; should be largely planted. We can supply seven varieties, 6 feet	2	6	Fagus Sylvatica (Beech) — D*	3	6
Cypress, Pink Flowering —E† See <i>Tamarix</i> .			Purpurra (Purple leaved)	5	0
Cytisus (Laburnum) — D* Handsome, golden tassels, 8 feet	2	0	Felicia Augustifolia —E† Very showy and hardy, lilac flowers, 3 feet	1	6
Cupania Australis (Australian Tamarind) — E† Magnificent foliage, 50 feet	2	6	Ficus —All the following <i>Ficus</i> have magnificent foliage. Benjamineana and Elastica only thrive in hot climates.		
Daphne (Red or White)—E* Highly scented, very hardy, likes moist, shady situation, 4 feet ...	3	0	Australis (Port Jackson Fig)—E† Handsome tree, 30 feet	1	6
Extra large specimen plants	5	0	Benjamineana (The Weeping Fig)—E† 40 ft.	2	6
Deutzia (Wedding Bells) — D† Hardy, dwarf- flowering, 4 feet; pretty and attractive flowering shrubs. We have eighteen of the best varieties	1	6	Elastica (India Rubber Tree)—E† 50 feet ...	3	6
Diervillea (Weigelia) Twelve varieties—D*† Very hardy, beautiful flowering class, 6 feet ...	1	6	Macrophylla (Moreton Bay Fig)—E† Hand- some, rapid growth, 60 feet	1	6
Diosma Ericoides —E† Compact growing, covered in the spring with small starry white flowers, light feathery foliage, 4 feet	2	0	Muelleri — E† Beautiful weeping habit, hardier than <i>Benjamineana</i> , 30 feet	2	0
Dombeya (Two varieties)—E† Free flowering shrubs, with white perfumed flowers, 8 feet ...	1	6	Nitida —E† Splendid for avenues, 25 feet ...	1	6
			Figs, Various —E† See <i>Ficus</i> .		
			Flame Tree —E† See <i>Brachychiton</i> .		
			Flowering Currant —E* See <i>Ribes</i> .		
			Fraxinus (Ash) Three varieties — D* Hardy ornamental trees, of great beauty, 50 feet. from	2	0
			Gardenia Globosa —E† Handsome white flowers, 10 feet	2	0
			Gardenia (Intermedia and Magnifica) Shrubby varieties — E† Beautiful, white, fragrant flowering, 6 feet	2	0

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Goldfussia —E† Beautiful lavender, bell shaped flowers, 3 feet	EACH	1 6
Graptophyllum Earlii —E† Very pretty, crimson blooms, 8 feet	2 0	
Grevillea Robusta (Silky Oak)—E† Handsome, free growing, beautiful green foliage, changing to bronze, 80 feet... ..	1 6	
Guelder Rose (<i>Viburnum Opulus</i>)—E* 8 feet... ..	2 0	
Gums, Various —E† See varieties of Eucalyptus.		
Habrothamnus Elegans —E* Beautiful hardy flowering, 6 feet	1 6	
Scabra —E* Magnificent shrub, very hardy blooms, upright	1 6	
Hakea Eucalyptoides (Crimson Flowering)—E† Very pretty, 15 feet	2 0	
Hamelia Patens —E†* Good hardy shrub with orange blooms, very showy	2 0	
Hawthorn, Chinese —E* See Photinia.		
Hawthorn, Indian —E* See Rhamphiolepis.		
Hawthorns —D* See Crataegus.		
Heliotropium (<i>Heliotrope</i>)—E† A beautiful garden shrub, specially valuable for its perfume. We can supply five of the leading varieties...each	1 6	

HIBISCUS

These are all evergreen, with the exception of the *Syriacus* and *Mutabilis* varieties, which are deciduous.

Camdeni —E† Single red, 6 feet	1 6	
Chrysanthus —E† Yellow, black centre, 3 ft....	1 6	
Conqueror —E† Rich apricot, with velvet plum colored throat, single and very large, specially recommended, quite distinct; 6 feet	1 6	
General Courteses —E† Scarlet, large flowering, 6 feet	1 6	
Geo. Harwood —E† Beautiful large single pink, dark centre, 6 feet	1 6	
Indica —E† Rosy apricot, free flowering, 6 feet	1 6	
Island Empress —E† A soft dark rose, one of the best doubles; 6 feet	2 0	
Island Queen —E† Deep rose, single, splendid form and size, 6 feet	1 0	
Lamberti —E† Large double red, very fine, 6 ft.	2 6	
Moorei —E† Carmine, dark centre, 6 feet ...	1 6	
Mutabilis (<i>Chinese Rose</i>)—D†* Large double pink flowers, very showy, 8 feet	1 6	
Mutabilis Alba —D†* Similar to above but white	1 6	
Peachblow —E† Semi-double, deep rose pink. Suitable for warm and hot climates only ...	2 0	
Syriacus (several varieties)—D* We can supply the best of these, which will thrive in even the coldest districts; 6 feet	2 6	

Special Novelties

Almond Blossom —E† Clear salmon-pink, changing to cerise. 2s. 6d.	
Salmonia —E† Deep flesh, very showy. 2s. 6d.	
Stella —E† Rose-pink with white markings, distinct. 2s. 6d.	

We also have other new and excellent varieties, and shall be pleased to send particulars on application

Himalayan Strawberry —E* See <i>Benthamia</i> .	
Holmskioldia Sanguinea —E† Produces abundance of orange red blooms, 8 feet	2 0

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Hydrangea —D* During recent years great improvements and valuable additions have been made to this beautiful class of plants. They are of the most lovely tints, varying from white, pink, rosy blue, rose, to rosy purple, and dark blue shades	EACH	1 6
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Particulars on application.

Hymenosporum Flavum —E†* Beautiful shrub, with sweet scented pale yellow flowers, 10 ft.	2 0	
Hypericum Moserianum —E* Showy, yellow flowers, 3 feet	2 0	
Ilex (Holly) —One of the most beautiful of all evergreen shrubs, particularly in winter, when they are covered with bright red berries. The variegated varieties are especially attractive. They require a fairly cool climate.		
Aquifolium (<i>English Holly</i>)—E* Deep green leaves, 15 feet	2 0	
Cornuta (<i>Chinese Holly</i>)—E* 15 feet	2 6	
Golden Holly —E* Deep yellow, variegated, 20 ft	3 6	
Silver Holly —E* Beautifully variegated, 20 ft.	3 6	

India Rubber Tree—E† See *Ficus Elastica*.

Lochroma—Specially recommended as very handsome quick-growing shrubs.

Grandiflora —E† Lilac	1 6	
Tubulosa —E† Blue	1 6	
W. V. Seymour —E† True purple, lovely color, 8 feet	1 6	
Jacaranda Mimosaefolia —D† Graceful foliage, beautiful lavender flowers, 30 feet	1 6	
Jasminum —E* Old favorite, scented flowers, 6 feet	1 6	
Justicia (<i>Four varieties</i>)—E† Beautiful flowering shrubs, 3 feet to 4 feet	1 6	
Karaka Tree —E* See <i>Corynocarpus</i> .		
Kerria Japonica (<i>Single or Double</i>)—D* Hardy, yellow flowering and effective Japanese shrubs, 5 feet	1 6	

Kurrajong—E† See *Sterculia*.

Laburnum—D† See *Cytisus*.

Lagerstroemia (Crape Myrtle)—Very handsome flowers, prettily crimped.

Eavesii —Beautiful heliotrope, large flowers,		
Indica, Alba (<i>White</i>)—D† 10 feet	2 0	
Indica, Mauve —D† Very choice variety	2 6	
Indica, Pink —D† 20 feet... ..	2 0	
Indica, Red —D† 20 feet	2 0	
and in much bigger branches than any other variety; very hardy and excellent 8 feet	2 6	
Matthewsi —A beautiful shade of mauve. Can recommend this as one of the finest varieties, 8 feet	3 6	

Lagunaria Patersonii —E* Hardy, vigorous, stands exposure, 25 feet	1 6	
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Lantana—We can supply a fine collection of non-spreading varieties, which make very showy and beautiful shrubs and are splendid for dwarf hedges.

Six distinct sorts —Varying from white, orange, to crimson	1 6	
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Lasiandra—

Grandiflora —E† Extremely handsome, flowers twice the size of <i>Macrantha</i> and dark velvety purple, 6 feet	3 0	
Macrantha —E† Rapid growing, very showy purple flowers, 6 feet	1 6	
Rosea —E† A pink flowering variety, 4 feet ...	1 6	
Laurels (<i>English and Portuguese</i>)—E* See <i>Cerasus</i> .		

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Laurus Nobilis (Sweet Bay) — E* Dense foliage hardy, 30 feet	EACH	2 0	Osmanthus Variegatus — E* Elegant shrubs, producing holly-like foliage, 6 feet	EACH	2 0
Lavendula Spica (English Lavender) — E†	1 6	Peach, Double Flowering — D* See <i>Amygdalus</i> .			
Lavendula Stachas (French Lavender) — E†	1 6	Peppers — E† See <i>Schinus</i> .			
Ligustrum (Privet) — <i>Lucidum</i> and <i>Vulgaris</i> are especially suited for hedges. See page 28.		Philadelphus (Mock Orange) — E* Hardy, white flowering, 4 feet	1 6		
<i>Chinensis</i> — E*† Profuse bloomer, 12 feet ...	1 6	Phormium Tenax Variegata — E* A hardy and very ornamental variety of Flax	2 6		
<i>Elegantissimum</i> (Japanese) — E*† 4 feet ...	1 6	Photinia Serrulata (Chinese Hawthorn) — E* Free flowering, creamy white flowers, 10 feet ...	1 6		
<i>Lucidum Variegata</i> — 10 feet	3 6				
<i>Ovallifolia Aurea</i> — 6 feet	1 6				
Lilac — D* See <i>Syringa</i> .					
Lillipilli — E† See <i>Eugenia</i> .					
Lily of the Valley Tree — E* See <i>Clethra</i> .					
Linden or Lime Tree — D* See <i>Tilia</i> .					
Linum Trigynum — E† A pretty dwarf winter flowering yellow shrub, 2 feet	1 6				
Liquidambar Styracliflua — D* Gorgeous autumn-tinted leaves, 30 feet	2 0				
Liriodendron Tulipiferum (Tulip Tree) — E* Magnificent ornamental tree, fine foliage, 50 feet	3 6				
Lophostemon Australis — E† Handsome shelter 40 feet, very hardy, shade or avenue tree ...	1 6				
per dozen, 10s., per 100, 120s.					
Macadamia Ternifolia (Queensland Nut) — E† very ornamental foliage, 25 feet	2 0				
Mackaya Bella — E† Lilac flowering shrub, 6 feet	1 6				
Magnolia (Six varieties) — E and D† Highly recommended, beautifully scented flowers 20 feet	5 0				
2s. 6d. to					
Maples — D* See <i>Acer</i> .					
Maples (Japanese) — D* We can supply a number of these gorgeous ornamental shrubs ... from	5 0				
Melia Azederach (White Cedar) — D† Rapid growing and highly ornamental, 20 feet	1 6				
Mock Orange — E* See <i>Philadelphus</i> .					
Mountain Ebony — E† See <i>Bauhinia</i> .					
Murraya Exotica — E† Beautiful dwarf shrub, with white flowers, 6 feet	2 0				
Myrtle — E* See <i>Myrtus</i> .					
Myrtus Communis (Myrtle) — E* Charming plant, dark green leaves, flowers white, 6 feet ...	2 0				
Nandina Domestica — E* Graceful flowering, pretty berries, 5 feet	2 6				
Nerium (Oleander) — This beautiful plant is without doubt, one of the best and hardiest of our summer flowering shrubs, standing heat and drought with impunity.					
<i>Album Grandiflorum</i> — E† Pure white, 5 feet	1 6				
<i>Delphine</i> — E† Deep rich crimson, very distinct, 5 feet	1 6				
<i>Madame Martin</i> — E† Single, salmon changing to rosy salmon, 6 feet	1 6				
<i>Madoni Grandiflora</i> — E† Large, semi-double, pure white flowers, very fine, 5 feet	1 6				
<i>Monsieur Belaguier</i> — E† Single pink, very free flowering, 5 feet	1 6				
<i>Professor Martin</i> — E† Single crimson, dwarf and compact, 5 feet	1 6				
<i>Souvenir de Cazalis Allut</i> — E† Single, extremely rich crimson, the darkest variety introduced, 6 feet	1 6				
<i>Splendens</i> — E† Double pink, 12 feet	1 6				
<i>Splendens Variegatum</i> — E† Golden variegated foliage, 6 feet	3 0				
Oaks (Deciduous) — D* See <i>Quercus</i> .					
Oak, Silky — E† See <i>Grevillea</i> .					
Ochna Multiflora — E† Yellow, profuse flowerer, fragrant, 3 feet	1 6				
Oleander — E† See <i>Nerium</i> .					

PINUS INSIGNIS

For a quick growing, ornamental, or shelter tree, we do not know of anything to equal this hardy pine. It does well in almost any situation, and is for forming **break-winds**; planted fifteen to twenty feet apart they will form a solid wall in three or four years. The dark green foliage gives a fine landscape effect.

11s. per dozen, 80s. per 100

Pittosporum — For quotations for quantities for hedges see page 28.

Crassaefolium — E*† Splendid for lawns 12 feet	1 6
Eugenoides — E*† Light green foliage, 15 feet	1 6
Eugenoides Variegatum — E*†	2 6
Nigrescens — E*† Dark green, 12 feet	1 6
Tobira — E*† 10 feet	1 6
Undulatum (Victorian Laurel, so called) — E*† Highly scented, creamy white flowers, 25 feet	1 6
Platanus Orientalis (Oriental Plane) — D*† Grand foliage, rapid grower, 50 feet, suitable for both warm and cool districts. Special quotes to large planters	2 0
Plumbago (Blue and White) — E† Dwarf, hardy and free flowering, 5 feet	1 6
Plumeria Acutifolia (Frangipanni) — D† A favorite shrub with beautiful white flowers, very fragrant, 10 feet	3 0
Poinciana Gilliesii (Bird of Paradise) — D† Yellow and crimson, very beautiful, 25 feet	2 6



English Elm

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	EACH		EACH
Poinciana Regia (Crimson)—D† Suitable for hot climates only, 25 feet	3 6	Salix—	
Poinsettia Pulcherrima (Scarlet)—D† Showy autumn flowering, 10 feet	2 0	Aurea (Golden Willow)—D* 25 feet	2 0
Pomegranate —D† See Punica.		Babylonica (The Weeping Willow)—D* 60 ft.	1 6
Populus (Poplars)—Very rapid growers, also graceful and hardy.		Purpurea Americana —D* 40 feet	1 6
Balsamea (Balsam Poplar)—D* 40 feet	1 6	Sambucus (Elderberry) Four varieties—D* Very hardy, 12 feet... ..	1s. to 1 6
Bolleana (Silver Leaved)—D* Does not sucker, 40 feet	1 6	Schinus Molle (Pepper Tree)—E† Very hardy, graceful, 25 feet	1 6
Dilitata (Upright Poplar)—D* 50 feet	1 6	Spartium Junceum (Spanish Broom)—D*† Yellow flowering shrub, hardy, 5 feet	1 6
Privet —E† See Ligustrum.		Spartium Multiflorum Album (White Broom)—D*† Hardy in any climate and very floriferous, 6 ft.	2 0
Prunes, Double Flowering —D* See Prunus.		Spirea (Ten varieties)—D* Attractive and free-flowering, 4 feet	1 6
Prunus (Double Flowering Prunes) Four varieties—D* Beautiful spring flowering, 8 ft.	2 0	Sterculia Acerifolia (Flame Tree)—E† See Brachycaiton, 50 feet	1 6
Prunus Pissardi (Purple Leaved Plum)—D* Very ornamental, coppery crimson foliage, bears edible fruit of good flavor, 15 feet	2 0	Sterculia Diversifolia (Kurrajong)—E† Handsome, 50 feet. Good for fodder in droughty seasons	1 6
Prunus Moseri —Similar foliage and double pink flowers, 10 feet	2 0	Strawberry Tree —E*† See Arbutus.	
We can also supply several varieties of Double Flowering Japanese Plums , 6 feet	2 0	Strelitzia Augusta (Purple and White)—E† Very fine	3 6
Punica (Pomegranate) both Scarlet and White—D† Handsome and hardy, 10 feet	1 6	Regina —E† Blue and gold flowers, very handsome, 4 feet	5 0
Pyrus Aucuparia (Mountain Ash or Rowan Tree)—D* Produces large bunches of scarlet fruit and beautiful foliage, 30 feet	2 6	Stenocarpus Cunninghamii —E† Gorgeous crimson flowers, 50 feet. One of our best native trees	2 0
Queensland Nut —E† See Macadamia.		Sweet Bay —E* See Laurus.	
Quercus —A hardy family of beautiful trees. The Scarlet Oak is particularly beautiful in the autumn.		Syncarpia Laurifolia (Turpentine)—E† Compact evergreen, 40 feet	1 6
Cerris (Turkey Oak)—D* 50 feet	2 0	Syringa (Lilac)—D* Beautifully scented, 12 feet Single blue and white	1 6
Coccinea (Scarlet Oak)—D* 40 feet	2 6	Named varieties	3 0
Palustris (The American Crimson Leaved Oak) D* 30 feet	2 6	Tamarix (Pink Flowering Cypress)—D*† We have two varieties—dwarf and tall; hardy and graceful, stands exposure, 12 feet	1 6
Pedunculata (English Oak) D* 60 feet	2 0	Tamarind, Australian —E† See Cupania.	
Suber (Cork Oak)—E* 25 feet	2 6	Tecoma (Three varieties)—E† Beautiful free flowering shrubs, 5 feet to 12 feet	1 6
Virens (Evergreen Oak)—E* 40 feet	2 0	Tecoma —E† Orange or yellow, 12 feet	1 6
And other varieties.		” Capensis —Crimson, 8 feet	1 6
Quinces, Japanese Flowering —D* See Cydonia.		Thyrsacanthus Rutilans —E† A beautiful shrub, with drooping spikes of scarlet bloom	2 0
Raphiolepis (Indian Hawthorn) Three varieties—E* Hardy, free flowering, 6 feet	1 6	Tilia Europea (Linden or Lime Tree)—D* Hardy ornamental, lofty growing trees, 40 feet	3 6
Rhododendrons —We can supply grafted hybrids of these beautiful free-flowering plants. They have been worked from plants which have been proved true to name. Nothing looks more effective in a garden than a collection of beautiful Rhododendrons. We have exceptionally fine well grown plants, which we very highly recommend, and which will be found much superior to those usually offered	7 6	Toxicophloeia Spectabilis —E† White flowers, sweetly scented, 5 feet	2 0
Rhus Succedanea (Wax Tree)—D* Beautiful autumn foliage, 10 feet	1 6	Tree Box —E* See Buxus.	
Ribes (The Flowering Current)—D* Beautiful red flowering shrub, 4 feet	2 0	Tree of Heaven —D* See Ailanthus.	
Robinia (Three varieties)—D* Splendid quick-growing shelter trees, producing Wistaria-like flowers, 40 feet	1 6	Tulip Tree —D* See Liriodendron.	
Rock Spray —E* See Cotoneaster.		Turpentine —E† See Syncarpia.	
Rondeletia (Four varieties)—E† Ornamental, brilliant flowering shrubs, 1½ to 3 feet	2 6	Ulmus (Elms)—D* We can supply ten of the leading varieties of this beautiful English tree, 30 to 80 feet	2 0
Rosmarinus Officinalis (Rosemary)—E†	1 6	Veronica (Eight varieties)—E* Compact growing, pretty flowers, 4 feet	1 6
Rowan Tree —D* See Pyrus.		Viburnum (Seven varieties)—D* Extremely hardy, handsome white flowers, 12 feet	1s. 6d to 5 0
Russellia Juncea —E† Rush-like leaves, extremely ornamental, scarlet flowers, 3 to 4 feet	1 6	Viburnum Tinus (Laurustinus)—E* Handsome white flowers, 6 feet	1 6
		Vitex Trifoliata —E*† A hardy evergreen, quick growing, and succeeding anywhere, 6 feet	2 0
		Wattles —E† See Acacias.	
		Wax Tree —D* See Rhus.	
		Wedding Bells —D† See Deutzia.	
		Willows —D* See Salix.	
		Yucca (Five varieties)—E† Very ornamental on banks, rockeries, or dry places; some of them producing magnificent tall spikes of white and cream flowers, 3 feet to 12 feet, 1s. 6d. to	3 6

PACKING—A minimum charge of 6d. will be made for small orders, 1s. to 1s. 6d. per dozen for large orders.

HEDGES and BORDER PLANTS

E Signifies Evergreen — D Signifies Deciduous

PER DOZ.

HEDGE PLANTS for Cool Climates.

PER DOZ.

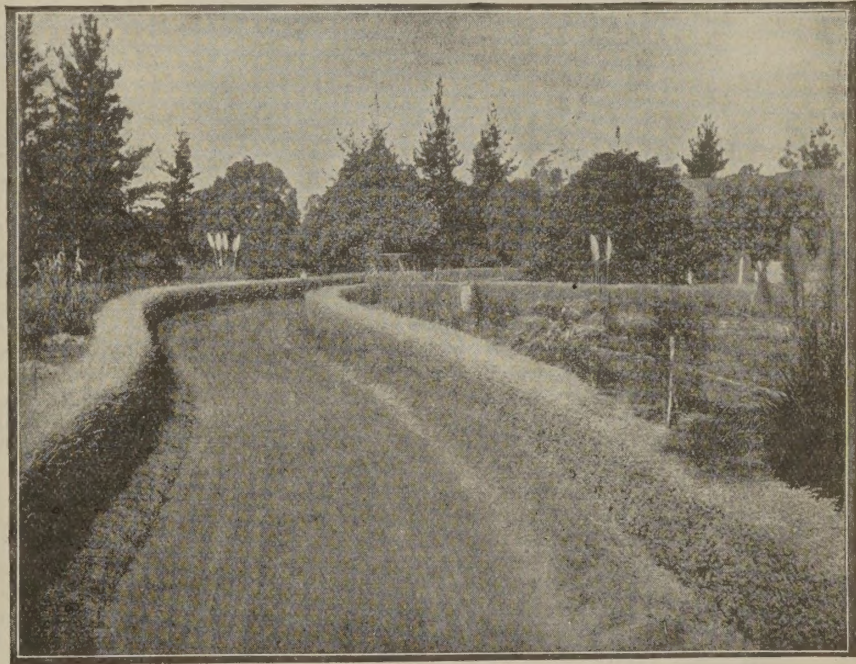
- Berberis Vulgaris**—D Hardy and quick growing. An excellent hedge for cold climates, per 100 120s. 16 0
- Crataegus Crenulata**—E A fine hedge, bearing pretty scarlet berries. Plant 3 feet apart, per 100 120s. 16 0
- Cupressus Torulosus**—E (true stock from cuttings). Makes a splendid hedge, growth quick and uniform; largely grown in Victoria. Plant 3 feet apart per 100 200s. 28 0
- Escallonia Macrantha**—E Scarlet flowers, grows very thickly per 100 120s 16 0
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- Laurustinus**—E Pretty flowering hedge per 100 120s. 16 0
- Orleans Rose (Dwarf Polyantha)**—For borders, low hedges, etc. This is one of the most charming plants that could be used; grows from 18 to 24 inches high, and bears clusters of pretty rosy carmine blooms throughout the year. Plant 18 inches apart per 100 80s. 12 0
- Osage Orange**—E Thorny, yellow blossoms— per 100 20s. 3 0
- Prunus Myrobalana (Myrobalan Plum)**—D Hardy and fruiting per 100 70s. 9 0
- Privet**—E Quick growing, fine foliage.
- Lucidum (Large Leaved)**—E per 100 15s. 2 0
- Vulgaris (Small Leaved)**—E per 100 15s. 2 0
- Pittosporum**—E Hardy flowering, rapid growth (from) per 100 120s 16 0
- For varieties see warm climate list.
- Veronica (Various)**—E Very compact, blooms freely 100 120s. 16 0

HEDGE PLANTS for Warm Climates

Such as Sydney, or say where Citrus Fruits will succeed

- Aberia Caffra (Kaffir Apple)**—A fine hedge, spiny ... per 100 110s. 16 0
- African Box Thorn**—E Quick growing, very hardy per 100 17s. 6d.; per 1000 160s. 2 6
- Bougainvillea Glabra Sanderiana**—E Very pretty hedges, and flowers abundantly per 100 150s. 22 0
- Coprosma Lucida**—E Hardy, glossy foliage ... per 100 110s. 16 0
- Cupressus Macrocarpa**—E A very quick growing compact hedge. Plant 3 feet apart per 100 80s. 11 0
- Cupressus Torulosus (from cuttings)**E See page 101 per 100 200s. 28 0
- Duranta**—E Blue flowers, fragrant. In 3-in. pots per 100 70s. 9 0
- In 4-in. pots per 100 85s. 11 0
- Duranta**—E White flowers. In 4-in. pots per 100 85s. 11 0
- Euonymus Golden**—E Very striking 16 0
- Guava Purple**—E A most useful and ornamental hedge, bearing purple fruit which makes excellent jelly 20 0
- Hibiscus (Single Red)**—E A fine flowering hedge— per 100 100s. 16 0
- Lantana Sellowiana**—E Showy dwarf hedge ... 11 0
- Laurustinus**—E Pretty flowering hedge, per 100 120s 16 0

- Olive (Common)**—E Beautiful dark glossy foliage, slow growing per 100 20s. 3 0
- Osage Orange**—E Thorny, yellow blossoms— per 100 20s. 3 0
- Privet (Ligustrum)**—We offer both the Small and Large Leaved varieties. Both make excellent hedges and are very hardy.
- Lucidum (Large Leaved)**—E per 100 15s. 2 0
- Vulgaris (Small Leaved)**—E per 100 15s. 2 0
- Pittosporum**—Very hardy and will succeed in all but very warm districts.
- Eugenoides**—E Light green foliage per 100 120s. 16 0
- Eugenoides Variegata**—E Beautifully variegated 28 0
- Nigrescens**—E Dark green foliage per 100 120s. 16 0
- Undulatum**—E Sometimes called the Victorian Laurel. It has handsome dark green foliage, and produces very highly scented creamy white flowers... .. per 100 120s. 16 0
- Plumbago Capensis**—E Pretty blue flowers— per 100 85s. 11 0
- Raphiolepis (Indian Hawthorn)**—E One of the finest flowering hedges; highly recommended— per 100 120s. 16 0
- Tecoma Capensis**—E Bright red flowers— per 100 85s. 11 0



HEDGE PLANTS for the Seaside

Freight and Packing extra

There are very few hedge plants that will succeed on the coast, but we can recommend the following, which, with care and attention, should do well.

PER DOZ.

- Cupressus Macrocarpa (Lemon-scented Cypress)**— Plant 3 to 4 feet apart ... per 100 80s. 11 0
- Cupressus Torulosus (true stock from cuttings)**— See page 101. Plant 3 feet apart 28 0
- Coprosma Lucida**—Dark, glossy, green leaves; very hardy. Plant 3 feet apart 16 0
- Corynocarpus Laevigatus (Karakia of New Zealand)**—Plant 3 feet apart 16 0
- Eleagnus Variegatus**—Variegated leaves, compact. Plant 2 feet apart 22 0
- Euonymus**—Handsome foliage. Plant 2 feet apart 16 0
- Tamarix Gallica (pink flowering Cypress)**—Plant 2 feet apart 16 0
- Tecoma Capensis**—Plant 3 feet apart. per 100 85s. 11 0

HARDY CLIMBING PLANTS.

E signifies Evergreen.

D signifies Deciduous.

*Denotes varieties that will cling to walls, etc., by stem rootlets.
cold climates.

† Denotes varieties suited for

Most of the following will succeed almost anywhere, except in cold districts where heavy frosts are experienced.

	EACH		EACH
† <i>Akebia Quinata</i> (Lilac)—E 15 feet	2 0	*† <i>Hoya Carnosa</i> (Wax Plant)—E Fleshy. It sometimes becomes attached to the wall like ivy, and grows freely when planted out	2 0
<i>Allamanda Hendersonii</i> —E Handsome, yellow flowers, succeeds only in hot climates	2 6	<i>Hoya Variegata</i> —E	2 0
*† <i>Ampelopsis Veitchii</i> (Virginian Creeper)—D Beautiful crimson foliage in the autumn, 25 ft.	1 6	† <i>Humulus Lupulus</i> (English Hop)—D Makes a most graceful and quick growing climber. The heads of the fruit are used in brewing	1 6
* <i>Henryana</i> —D A new form of the Virginian Creeper. The leaves are dark velvety green, but the veins are silvery white. The variegation is more pronounced in autumn, when the ground color changes to red	1 6	<i>Ipomoea</i> (White, Pink, and Blue)—E Very fast growing. A beautiful vine, with very handsome foliage, bearing great quantities of large waxy flowers, 50 feet	1 6
We can also supply six other recent introductions to this beautiful class. Particulars on application	1 6	<i>Jasminum</i> —	
<i>Antigonon leptopus</i> —E A charming slender creeper, producing an abundance of bright rose-colored flowers	2 0	† <i>Fruticans</i> (Yellow Jasmine)—E 8 feet	1 6
† <i>Aristolochia Elegans</i> (The Dutchman's Pipe)—E Rapid and beautiful climber, 15 feet	1 6	† <i>Gracilis</i> (White)—E 5 feet	1 6
<i>Beaumontia Grandiflora</i> —E Large white trumpet-shaped flowers, highly perfumed, requires a warm climate and sheltered from the wind	2 0	† <i>Grandiflorum</i> (White)—E 10 feet	1 6
<i>Bignonia</i> —Magnificent flowering plants and very fast growers. Most of the varieties will attach themselves to walls and fences. During the flowering season they are unsurpassed for profusion of bloom. We can supply the following varieties:—		<i>Poicoicum</i> (White)—E Star-like flowers, 8 feet	2 0
<i>Australis</i> (Wonga Wonga Vine)—E Cream and brown	1 6	<i>Primulinum</i> —E Flowers one and a half to two inches in diameter; yellow	1 6
<i>Cherere</i> (Mexico)—E Large scarlet, very vigorous	2 0	<i>Souvenir de Poiteau</i> (Cream)—E Produces a profusion of berries, black in color	1 6
<i>Excelsa</i> —E Yellow, handsome	1 6	† <i>Lathyrus Latifolius</i> (Everlasting Pea)—E Pink or White	1 6
† <i>Grandiflora</i> —E Orange	2 6	† <i>Pubescens</i> —E A magnificent perennial pea covered with long spikes of lovely pale violet flowers. Forms a conspicuous mass of color throughout the winter and spring	1 6
† <i>Jasminoides</i> —E Rose and white	1 6	† <i>Lonicera</i> (Honeysuckle)—	
*† <i>Lindleyana</i> (Mexico)—E Lavender	1 6	<i>Aurea Reticulata</i> —E White, yellow foliage	1 6
<i>Mackeni</i> —E Lovely rose colored blooms	1 6	<i>Halliana</i> —E The best white, afterwards turning light yellow	1 6
<i>Rosea</i> —E See Mackeni	1 6	<i>Japonica</i> —E Cream, sweetly scented	1 6
*† <i>Tweediana</i> —E Rich yellow	1 6	<i>Semperflorens</i> —E Beautiful scarlet and yellow	1 6
<i>Venusta</i> —E Orange, very fine	1 6	<i>Sinensis</i> (White and Red)—E	1 6
<i>Bougainvillea</i> —Beautiful flowering plants as shrubs or climbers, 20 feet.		<i>Tartarica Splendens</i> (Scarlet Trumpet)—E choice	2 6
<i>Braziliensis</i> —E Bright mauve	2 6	<i>Lophospermum Grandiflorum</i> —E Red gloxinia-like flowers	1 6
<i>Glabra</i> —E Rose lilac	2 0	*† <i>Mandevillea Suaveolens</i> —D Beautiful white, free flowering, 25 feet	1 6
<i>Glabra Sanderiana</i> —E Rose; the most perpetual flowering <i>Bougainvillea</i> of all	2 0	† <i>Manettia Bicolor</i> (Yellow and Red)—E Very pretty	1 6
<i>Lateritia</i> —E Brick-red, absolutely the best example of this family	5 0	<i>Glabra</i> —Suitable for Rockeries	1 6
<i>Magnifica Trailii</i> —E The finest bright purple	3 0	<i>Maurandya</i> (White, Blue, and Red)—E Profuse flowering and rapid growing, 12 feet	1 6
<i>Speciosa</i> —E Purple, white centre	2 6	<i>Passiflora</i> (Passion Flower)—Rapid growers, dense foliage, and beautiful flowers.	
<i>Spectabilis</i> —E Rose lilac	2 6	<i>Coerulea</i> (Blue and White)—E	1 6
<i>Canavalia Bonariensis</i> —E Dark green foliage, purple flowers, quick growing, 50 feet	2 6	<i>Constance Elliott</i> —E Pure white	1 6
† <i>Cobœa Scandens</i> —E Quick growing, purple flowers, 20 feet	1 6	<i>Edulis</i> (Edible Passion Fruit)—E White, tinged purple	1 0
† <i>Alba</i> —E A very handsome variety, white flowers	1 6	<i>Fragrant Beauty</i> —E Pure white	1 6
† <i>Dolichos Lignosus</i> (Pink and White)—E Quick growing, valuable for trellis work, etc., 20 feet	1 6	<i>Phaseolus Caracalla</i> (Snail Flower)—E Strong grower, curious purple flowers, 30 feet	2 0
*† <i>Ficus</i> (Climbing Fig) (<i>Stipulata</i> and <i>Minima</i>)—E Very useful for covering walls, etc., 25 feet	1 6	† <i>Pereskia Godseffiana</i> —E† Requires a warm sunny position; leaves are bright yellow, with red reverse, very striking	2 6
† <i>Gelsemium Sempervirens</i> —E Very beautiful climber, yellow flowers, sweetly scented, 15 ft.	2 0	† <i>Physianthus Albens</i> (Cruel Vine)—E White flowers	1 6
<i>Hardenbergia</i> (Three varieties)—E Very pretty	2 0	<i>Quisqualis Indica</i> —E Beautiful, sweet scented, flowers of white, orange, and crimson on same racemes; requires hot climate	2 6
*† <i>Hedera</i> (Ivy) Eleven varieties, including the best variegated—E Hardy, beautiful foliage, 30 feet	2 0	† <i>Rhyncospermum Jasminoides</i> —E Pretty, fragrant, white flowers, 20 feet	2 0
† <i>Honeysuckle</i> —E See <i>Lonicera</i> .		* <i>Solanum Seaforthianum</i> —E Beautiful blue flowers, red berries, 12 feet	1 6
		<i>Wendlandii</i> —D Produces immense trusses of lavender-blue flowers in greatest profusion during summer and autumn	1 6
		<i>Stephanotis Floribunda</i> —E Pure white flowers, beautifully scented	2 6

HARDY CLIMBING PLANTS Continued

	EACH
Stigmaphyllon Ciliatum —E Yellow, orchid-like flowers	1 6
*Tacsonia (Passion Flower) —Handsome, quick growing climbers.	
Exoniensis —E Rose-pink	1 6
Igneae —E Intense scarlet	1 6
Manicata —E Scarlet color	1 6
Mollissima —White Passion Fruit, E Pink flower	1 6
Smythiana —E Very distinct, orange scarlet	1 6
Van Volkemi —E Crimson color... ..	1 6
*Thunbergia (3 varieties)—E Pretty, quick growing	1 6
*Vinca Major (Periwinkle)—E Blue, suitable for Rockeries	1 6

	EACH
†Wistaria —One of the best deciduous climbing plants we have. In the early spring the plant is covered with large clusters of beautiful pea-like flowers. A splendid plant for training up trees, over trellis work, etc.	
Magnifica —D Blue	1 6
Multijuga —D A Japanese variety, with beautiful dark purple flowers	2 0
Multijuga Alba —D White form of the above ...	3 6
Roseae —D Rosy lilac	2 6
Sinensis Alba —D White	2 6
Sinensis (Fl. Pl.)—D Double blue	2 6
Sinensis (Single)—D Delicate lavender-blue ...	2 0

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†Araucaria Bidwilli. E	†Grevillea Robusta. E
†Araucaria Imbricata. E	*Junipers. E
Calodendron. E	Liquidambar. D
†Catalpa. D	*Liriodendron. E
*Cedrus Deodara. E	*Oaks (Quercus). D
Cupressus. E	Salisbury. D
Ficus (Figs). E	



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*Abies. E	Lophostemon. E
†Camphor Laurels	Pinus Insignis. E
*Cupressus	Pittosporums. E
†Eucalypti (Gums)	†Schinus (Peppers). E

TREES FOR STREETS, AVENUES, &c.

*American Elm (Ulmus). D	†Kurrajong. E
†Camphor Laurel. E	Lophostemon. E
Cassia Candolleana. E	*Oaks (Quercus). D
Ficus (Figs). E	Oriental Planes. D
†Grevillea (Silky Oak). E	†Peppers (Schinus). E
*Horse Chestnuts (Æsculus). D	*Poplars (Populus). D
†Jacaranda E	†Scarlet Flowering Gum (Eucalyptus). E

TREES TO PLANT

Recommended by Mr. E. N. WARD, Supt. Botanic Gardens, Sydney.

For Warm Costal Districts.

Eucalyptus Citriodora—Lemon Scented Gum. E
Lophostemon—(Tristania Conferta), Cinnamon or brush Box. E
Grevillea Robusta—(In poor soil deeply worked). E
Camphor Laurel. E
Cocos Plumosa—Palm (40 feet apart). E
Eugenia Smithii—Lillipilli. E

Bleak Situations Close to The Sea.

Eucalyptus Botryoides—N. S. W. Blue Gum. E
Araucaria Excelsa—Norfolk Island Pine. E
Ficus Rubiginosa—Port Jackson Fig. E
Ficus Macrophylla—Moreton Bay Fig. E
Metrosideros Tomentosa—New Zealand Rata (recommended). E
Pinis Insignis. E
Pinis Pinea. E
Lagunaria Patersoni—White Oak. E
Erythrina Indica—Coral Tree. D
Phoenix Canariensis—Canary Island Palm (recommended) E

E signifies Evergreen. D signifies Deciduous.

For Tablelands.

Platanus Orientalis—Plane Tree (recommended). D
Liquidambar Styracliflua—Sweet Gum. D
Gleditschia Triacanthus—Honey Locust. D
Quercus Palustris—Pin Oak (recommended). D

For Extremely Cold Districts.

Chestnut. D	Catalpa. D	Oak. D
Elm. D	Lime. D	Ash. D
Beach. D	Poplar. D	Sycamore. D

For Hot and Arid Districts.

Schinus Molle—Pepper Tree. E
Ceratonia Siliqua—Carob Tree. E
Melia Azederach—White cedar. D
Brachychiton Populneo—Kurrajong (in well worked ground). E
Ailanthus Glandulosa—Tree of Heaven. E
Platanus Orientalis—Plane (regular watering). D
Quercus Virginiana—Evergreen Oak. D
Araucaria Bidwilli—Bunya-Bunya. E
Phoenix Dactylifera—Date Palm (in retentive wet soils). E
Salix Babylonica—Weeping Willow (in retentive wet soils) E
Eucalyptus Corynocalyx—Sugar Gum (must be well grown). E

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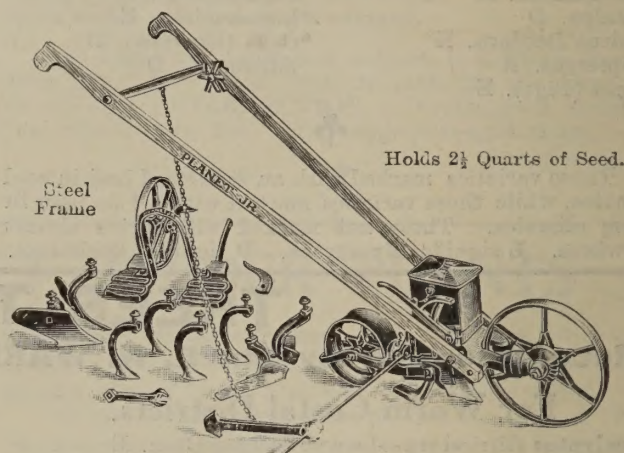
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